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Central Banc faces lawsuit

Former president of defunct bank asks for \$1.5 million

By David Migoya
Staff writer

BELLEVIEW — The former president of a defunct Fairview Heights bank Monday filed suit against Central Banc System for allegedly falsifying a stock purchase plan when he sold the failing operation to Central.

Herbert Littlefield Sr., the former president of Southern Illinois Bank, sold the failing operation for \$19.4 million to Central in 1985 after a series of investments in a Florida bond company went bad.

Littlefield filed the \$1.5 million suit against Central Banc System Inc. in St. Clair County court as trustee for Southern

Bancshares Liquidating Trust, the trust account for the purchase.

Littlefield also is asking for the original agreement to be reinstated.

Officials for Central Banc referred questions to the law firm of Lewis and Rice in St. Louis. The firm was closed Tuesday morning for a funeral.

The former Southern Illinois Bank, located at Interstate 64 and Illinois 159, was changed to Central Banc.

In the suit, Littlefield says the initial stock purchase plan was changed wrongfully a few months later because Central decided it would make more

money on the deal.

Central Banc has its main offices in Fairview Heights and operates several Central Bank locations, including Granite City.

The initial stock purchase agreement called for a 63-37 percent split between the trust and Central Banc of monies recovered from the bad investments, court records show.

The difference between the two percentages would be about \$1 million, said Rex Carr, Littlefield's attorney.

Neither Carr nor Littlefield would say how much money has been recovered or how many shareholders in Southern Bancshares would split the money.

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However, a second amended agreement was signed calling for a 50-50 split. Littlefield alleges the change was made because Central claimed the previous agreement wouldn't generate sufficient income for Central to pay taxes on its share of the recovered money.

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Money snatched from two teens

GRANITE CITY — Two young West Granite City men were assaulted and their money taken Monday afternoon by two men in a Cadillac.

Victims of the crime, which is being classified as a battery and theft, are Jeff Baker, 17, of the 2400 block of Bryan Avenue and Danny Arnold, 18, of the 2100 block of Illinois Avenue. Police said the two were walking on 22nd Street at the railroad tracks at about 5:30 p.m. when two men drove up in a white Cadillac and asked if they needed a ride.

Capt. Kip Pomeroy gave this description of the incident: Baker recognized the driver's face from when he lived in Madison, but he didn't know the man's name. The two then got into the car.

The driver, a black male described as about six feet tall and weighing 170 pounds, asked them if they had money for gasoline. When Baker pulled \$45 from his pocket, the driver allegedly snatched it.

Baker protested, and the driver hit him in the arm with what was described as "a 24-inch broom handle wrapped in black tape." The driver ordered them out of the car.

Danny Arnold was struck in the back while getting out and fell to the ground. The car then sped off, taking with it Baker's \$45 and a baseball glove, baseball spikes and a water jug, all belonging to Arnold.

The second man was described as of Hispanic descent with collar-length black hair.

Baker had seen the driver around when he lived in the Boxcar Apartments in Madison, he told police.

Madison restaurant changes owners

By Sam Hananel
Staff writer

MADISON — Saturday was the last night of business for Mazzini's restaurant at 1300 Madison Ave. But in about two weeks, it will reopen under new ownership as Rizzo's East.

Last Thursday, the restaurant was purchased by partners Michael Rizzo and Norbert Schade. Rizzo is owner of the Rizzo's group of restaurants in the St. Louis area.

"We've been looking for a location here for about five months," Rizzo said. "The opportunity just happened to be there at the right time."

David Schermer, the former owner of Mazzini's, said he was not looking to sell the restaurant, but was approached by Rizzo.

"They came along with an offer about buying us out and we felt it would be a favorable thing for everybody concerned," Schermer said.

Mazzini's opened in November 1987.

Schermer said he sold Mazzini's because the restaurant business is not his specialty and he felt Rizzo's could better manage the restaurant.

For those familiar with Rizzo's in St. Louis, Rizzo's East will operate in much the same manner in terms of food, service



CO-OWNERS OF RIZZO'S Mike Rizzo, Dana Rizzo, Stephanie Schade and Norbert Schade at their restaurant on Chippewa in south St. Louis.

and decor.

Rizzo described the venture as a moderately priced restaurant catering to families and businessmen. He set the tentative opening date for June 25.

Although specializing in Italian

food, Rizzo's East will offer a variety of other fare including steaks, veal, chicken and seafood. Entrees will be priced from \$5.95 to \$11.95.

Any remodeling will be slight, with the exception of a new

lounge area toward the front of the restaurant.

This will be the first Rizzo's restaurant to open in Illinois. The Missouri locations are in St. Louis, Florissant and south St. Louis.

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Loans by lawyer to clients challenged

By Roger Kramer
Staff writer

EDWARDSVILLE — The Illinois attorneys' disciplinary board is questioning loans of more than \$4.76 million that Bethalto lawyer Paul L. Pratt made to his clients.

Pratt, a well-known attorney, has offices in Granite City.

If the Illinois Attorneys Registration and Disciplinary Com-

mission's hearing and review board determine the loans violate the Illinois Code of Professional Responsibility, Pratt could be reprimanded.

The commission also could refer the case to the Illinois Supreme Court, which can suspend or disbar a lawyer.

The hearing board hasn't set a date for Pratt's hearing, commission spokesman Jerry Larkin said.

John C. O'Malley, the commission's administrator, charged Pratt made more than 5,900 loans ranging from \$100 to \$9,000 each between November 1987 and August 1989 to clients injured in job accidents.

One client received 37 loans totaling \$6,475 between November 1983 and March 1986, O'Malley said.

Pratt charged 14 percent to 20 percent interest on the loans, it

is contended. Pratt or attorneys in his firm told the clients the loans would be repaid through settlements in personal injury lawsuits, O'Malley said.

According to the complaint filed by O'Malley, the loans violate provisions of the code that prohibit attorneys from:

"Advancing or guaranteeing financial assistance to their clients, except for court costs.

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Murder charge filed

BELLEVIEW — A preliminary hearing was held Friday for a 24-year-old Brooklyn man charged with murdering his stepfather following a dispute between his parents.

Donald Brown of the Thomas Terry Apartments was jailed at the St. Clair County Jail on \$25,000 bond after first-degree murder was charged June 6.

Brown allegedly shot his stepfather, Algene Griffin, 53, of the

5500 block of Caseyville Avenue three times in Griffin's Washington Park home.

A spokesman for the St. Clair County coroner said one of the gunshot wounds was in the back.

State police said the shooting occurred after Brown's mother, Barbara Griffin, and her husband had a physical confrontation.

Brown pleaded innocent to the murder charge.

County taxing bodies get payments early

The Madison County treasurer's office on June 4 made the first distribution of property taxes for 1990.

The distribution is the earliest in four years and more than two months ahead of 1987, when the first payments did not go out until July 1 last year.

Tax bills were mailed May 29 this year. The bills did not go out until July 1 last year.

The first distribution in 1989

was July 7, according to Bob DiPaolo, a spokesman for the treasurer's office.

Total payment due on the tax bills this year is \$114,489,370, a 7 percent increase over last year's \$106,954,842.

DiPaolo said part of the increase is attributed to 2,233 additional parcels of property on the tax rolls. This year, there were 116,819 total parcels, up from last year's 115,586.

50 years ago

Thursday, June 13, 1940

County Judge Wilbur Trares ordered an election to be held in September in Granite City and Nameoki on the proposition of merging the two municipalities.

Tip of the hat



More children will learn how to stay off drugs this school year with the help of a \$150 donation from Jacobsmeyer's Bassmaster Club to the Drug Abuse Resistance Education program. President Larry Heagy, center, and Mike Pedigo, left, of Jacobsmeyer's present the check to Granite City Patrolman Walter Milton Jr., right, DARE officer.

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A RESCUE CREW works to free Beth Mueller of Granite City from her wrecked vehicle.

Crash injures woman

GRANITE CITY — A city woman suffered serious head injuries Saturday morning when a GMC Jimmy she was driving skidded off the road and struck a tree on Missouri Avenue.

Three witnesses said Beth A. Mueller, 29, of the 2900 block of Nameoki Road was southbound on Missouri at about 8:05 a.m. when she failed to negotiate the

turn at 25th Street. Mueller's vehicle, registered to David A. Yurkovich of Granite City, left the roadway, turned backward and slid against the tree.

There were no passengers.

Mueller was taken to St. Elizabeth Medical Center and then transferred to St. Mary's Health Center, Richmond Heights, where she was listed in stable condition Tuesday.

(Photo by Brenda Hannon)

Erthal leaves Haine's staff

An assistant state's attorney who lost a double-jeopardy ruling is leaving the Madison County prosecution team.

Assistant State's Attorney Greg Erthal will no longer be employed by the state's attorney's office, State's Attorney William Haine said.

"He is looking for another position and he's out of the office as of today," Haine said last week. He declined to elaborate.

"He's a fine young man from a good family, and he generally has a good record," Haine said. "The entire matter was unfortunate."

Erthal was hired shortly after Haine took office in December 1988.

Erthal is believed to have resigned June 4 and rumors circulated that he had been asked to leave.

Erthal's latest trouble surfaced May 29 when Circuit Judge Edward Ferguson dismissed felony charges against David Rolland, 37, of New Douglas.

Rolland had pleaded guilty in December to misdemeanor battery. Erthal had not withdrawn that charge even though a state trooper told the state's attorney's office in November that the injuries to Rolland's victim, Michael Riddens, 29, were serious enough to warrant a felony case.

Erthal testified at a hearing in late May that he had intended to dismiss the misdemeanor charge on Dec. 20 misdemeanor docket but, because of a mixup, Rolland entered the plea without

Erthal's knowledge.

Erthal also was the prosecutor in another high-profile case was dismissed.

A reckless homicide charge stemming from a fatal car accident was dismissed Oct. 24 because the defendant was not given a speedy trial.

Illinois law requires that a person in custody be tried within 120 days or be discharged unless delays are caused by the defendant or by proceedings to determine if the defendant is competent to stand trial.

Elisa Smith, who was charged in a June 12, 1989, accident that killed a Granite City teen-ager, was held in custody for 135 days.

In that case, Erthal said he and Smith's attorney, Assistant Public Defender Neil Hawkins, agreed to continue the case. But Hawkins told the judge he recalled no such agreement and no paperwork had been filed.

Meanwhile, Haine has absolved the Illinois State Police of blame for the dismissal of felony allegations against Rolland. Haine said the blame lies with his staff, not the trooper who investigated the incident.

Ferguson dismissed charges of attempted murder, armed violence and aggravated battery against Rolland, citing double jeopardy. Rolland had been fined \$100 for a misdemeanor.

Constitutional protections assure that a person cannot be tried twice for the same crime. Rolland was charged with striking Riddens on the head with a glass beer pitcher Oct.

18 at a tavern near Alhambra. The attack caused brain damage that left Riddens semicomatose.

Haine said the trooper "acted with due diligence in bringing the matter to an attorney in my office on or about Dec. 7."

Haine said the trooper was waiting for medical reports on Riddens' condition. The officer "alerted the staff within reasonably sufficient time to have dismissed the (misdemeanor) case," Haine said.

At Erthal's request, a judge set aside Rolland's plea and sentence, and his fine was refunded. Prosecutors then filed an aggravated battery charge. A grand jury later added charges of attempted murder and armed violence.

But Ferguson threw out the felony charges. He said that only a defendant, not the state, can ask that a guilty plea be set aside.

Erthal thought he would be able to dismiss the misdemeanor charge "as is done typically at the initial appearance docket," Haine said.

"The primary responsibility for what happened lies in my office's failure to file a written notice to dismiss the misdemeanor charge," Haine said.

"I don't believe a police officer has that obligation or responsibility. Any comments made by me or members of my staff should not be construed to indicate any fault by the Illinois State Police."

Haine concluded that it is the responsibility of his office to see that such matters are handled properly.

Caught, burglary charged

Granite City

Man booked on warrant

Jack D. Becker, 41, of the 2500 block of Stratford Lane was arrested June 5 on a Granite City warrant for failure to appear in court to face an allegation of battery.

Stolen car found burned

A 1983 Ford Escort reported stolen at 8:50 p.m. June 8 by Ray E. Lane of the 2100 block of Lincoln Avenue had been found on fire at St. Thomas Road at Interstate 270 by a deputy sheriff at 9:20 p.m. June 7.

Lane reported the vehicle was missing after he returned home

from out of town. He said the car had been removed from the driveway at the rear of his apartment. The fire caused severe damage.

Rings reported missing

Lynda R. Baronica of the 2600 block of East 24th Street reported June 8 the theft of four rings, including a diamond cluster ring valued at \$1,000. The other three rings were worth \$95, \$85 and \$30.

Towed Mercury stolen

A car belonging to Steven E. Rapaport of Key West, Fla., was stolen June 4 from Ashley's Mobil station, 2123 E. 23rd St. The vehicle was a green 1977 Mercury Cougar two-door.

DUIs

Car strikes power pole

Keith C. Berger, 22, of Cahokia was charged with driving under the influence of alcohol at 8 p.m. June 7 after his car struck a power pole in the 2200 block of Missouri Avenue while backing out of a driveway. He was also charged with criminal damage to property.

Man injured, arrested

An Edwardsville man was charged with driving under the influence of alcohol June 6 after Madison police were called to a fight in progress at The Bar, 2127 Edwardsville Road, at about 6:20 p.m. Police said they saw a car "pleading" to the fight. D. Ankrom, 21, enter Gillespie Street.

Ankrom had injuries to his face and a hand and was transported to St. Elizabeth Medical Center for treatment. He was treated and released at SEMC and then freed by police on \$102 cash bail.

Arrested after collision

Pamela Gipson, 35, of Belleville was charged with driving under the influence of alcohol at Illinois 203 and Ohio Avenue at 4:42 p.m. June 7 after a collision with an auto driven by Raynelli Rushing of Florissant. Neither driver was injured. Gipson was released on \$100 cash bail and ordered to appear in the St. Clair County Circuit Court in Belleville on July 13.

Alford plea bargained for in sex abuse case

By John D. Milazzo

Staff writer

EDWARDSVILLE — A man who was a regular participant on a popular Edwardsville-based radio talk show pleaded no contest June 4 to two felony charges of sexually abusing two Troy girls in incidents that court records said began five years ago.

Ralph Squadrito, 33, of Rome, N.Y., agreed to enter an Alford plea to two charges of aggravated criminal sexual abuse in exchange for two additional charges being dismissed.

Assistant State's Attorney Don W. Weber agreed to drop a more serious charge of aggravated criminal sexual assault and a third count of aggravated criminal sexual abuse in exchange for

The abuse charges alleged fondling.

Under an Alford plea, the defendant does not plead guilty but acknowledges there are sufficient grounds to be found guilty beyond a reasonable doubt.

Sentencing on the charges will be in about a month before Circuit Judge Edward C. Ferguson.

By Jim Edgar

Secretary of state

Motorcycle riders must have coordination and many skills to operate a motorcycle safely. The following safety tips are provided in conjunction with Motorcycle Safety Month to help riders travel safely in traffic:

•Reduce your speed before entering a curve and lean with your motorcycle. New riders often try to take "cut" turns too fast and skid out of control. Some are afraid to learn how to lean. The sharper the curve and the faster you ride, the more you must lean with your motorcycle.

•Use both brakes every time you slow down to stop, and apply them at the same time. The sooner you apply the front brake, the sooner you will start slowing down. You can also use both brakes in a turn. Using the front brake is dangerous only if the road is slippery and you use the brake incorrectly.

Scherrer, the owner of the vehicle, was in the driver's seat. Pontoon Beach police said Scherrer suffered minor injuries.

The truck was parked at 4046 Briere Ave. in Pontoon Beach. Police are not sure what type of object was used to smash the windows.

Circuit Judge Andy Matoesian set bond at \$25,000 June 5.

Woman shot, man booked

Venice

Donald M. Jones, 23, of the 1000 block of Third Street was arrested May 22 and charged with unlawful use of a weapon after a woman was accidentally shot with a gun he showed her.

Jones told police he found a .38 caliber single-shot pistol in Lee Park and was showing it to Monique York of West Madison. She dropped it and it fired, striking her in the left side.

Jones then drove York to St. Elizabeth Medical Center, stopping to tell police what had happened. York was discharged June 2 from the hospital.

Thefts at home reported

Howard Foley of the 700 block of Broadway reported a number of several items from his residence on two different days.

On May 29, someone stole a trailer axle valued at \$125, a case of oil, a \$200 camera and a \$50 welding cable. On May 31, an intruder stole a \$25 aluminum ladder and a gearbox for a power post-hole digger.

Washer and dryer taken

Donald Gardner of the 200 block of Kerr Street reported May 29 that somebody pried open the front door of his residence during the night of May 20-21 and took a rented washing machine and dryer.

Residence burglarized

Shirley Jones of the 300 block of Weaver Street told police her residence was burglarized during the night of May 27-28. Taken, she said, were \$250 worth of groceries, two table lamps and a television set. Entry was gained by breaking a padlock on the back door.

Arrested on gun charge

Mark Williams, 29, of Venice Homes was charged with aggravated assault and unlawful use of a weapon in connection with an incident May 24 in which he allegedly pointed a sawed-off shotgun at his brother, Monet Williams, on Klein Street near Fillmore Avenue.

Woman struck with iron

Frank Johnson, 40, of East St. Louis was booked for battery May 29 for allegedly hitting Barb Williams of Lee Wright Homes in the neck with an iron while she was asleep. He was released on \$1,000 bond.

Arrested with handgun

Alberto Rey, 37, of the 1000 block of Calhoun Street was charged with unlawful use of a weapon at 12:25 a.m. June 6 after he was arrested at Garrett's Cut Liqueurs on Weaver Street. Police said they found a 9mm pistol with four live

rounds in it on Rey's person.

Rey was also charged with resisting arrest and not having a firearm owner's identification card.

Madison

Revoked license cited

Donald L. Miller, 33, of the 1500 block of Second Street was charged with driving while his license was revoked after a police officer recognized him as not having a valid license. Miller was arrested at 11:34 a.m. June 3 while driving in the 400 block of State Street.

Stolen trailer recovered

A truck trailer stolen in Mount Vernon was recovered June 7 parked on the lot at Gateway Midstate Truck Plaza. The trailer, whose load of extruded aluminum was intact, belonged to the H.C. Parrish Trucking Co. of Freeburg.

Man sought on 3 charges

PONTON BEACH

Police are still looking for a 24-year-old Granite City man who was charged June 5 with aggravated assault, criminal damage to property and reckless conduct for allegedly smashing windows of a pickup truck.

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Job loss strains finances, family

By Roger McGrath
Correspondent

Furloughed, pink-slipped, laid off, terminated, fired, reduction in force, position eliminated. They all describe the same thing — losing a job.

Though the effect is most immediate on the person losing the job, ripples also are felt by the spouse and children.

How a family reacts to the dismissal can affect the unemployed person's effort to land a new job, career counselors say.

The support system people have as they go through changes is critical," said career strategist Anna Navarro of Work Transitions Inc. in St. Louis.

The displaced worker's spouse and family, the initial support group, are anxious about the new situation — the economic consequences of life without the former income.

It is frightening for even two-income families, said Sue Ekberg, staff counselor at St. Louis University's Counseling & Consultation Center.

"For a lot of people, their car and house payments depend on both incomes," she said.

"The period between the loss of a job and finding a new one is a stressful and difficult time for the whole family," said Tony Lane, vice president of Drake Beam Morin Inc., an out-place-

ment firm in Creve Coeur that helps dismissed executives find jobs.

DBM recently asked 440 unemployed executives about their spouses' reactions to the breadwinners' joblessness: 76 percent reported spouses were "very positive and supportive," and 53 percent cut spending and were willing to move to a new city if necessary. The responses helped relieve their own anxiety, 53 percent of executives said.

But 57 percent of spouses left the job search entirely in the hands of the unemployed worker; 68 percent of those polled said they wanted their spouse's assistance, Lane said.

Since the survey, Lane has been more insistent that spouses participate in his firm's counseling and job-search strategy sessions.

"It's ideal if they can think of (the job hunt) as a partnership," Ekberg said. She said the spouse should ask: "What could I do that could help you?"

Responses to that question run the gamut — from typing a resume to jointly mulling over

career options to the possibility of a housewife (60 percent of dismissed executives are men) getting a temporary job.

To stay on the same emotional level following a job loss, spouses should "keep the information flowing," said Barry Schapiro, senior staff consultant with Human Resource Management Corp., an out-placement firm in Richmond Heights. The job seeker should talk about what he is doing so the anxiety level of his spouse and children does not build to upsetting proportions, Schapiro said.

Couples need to take a close look at finances and decide how long the family can go with reduced income.

"That provides a time line, how long somebody can be out of work," Schapiro said. That time limit reduces the job seeker's anxiety. "They don't have to take the first job that comes along," he said.

Two-income families also need to determine whose career is paramount, which may require

looking for work out-of-town and the possibility of relocating, he said.

Another reason to talk is that joblessness often causes stress in the marriage, Work Transitions' Navarro said. DBM's survey found that was the case 29 percent of the time.

At other times, it may be necessary for a spouse to listen without comment while the unemployed person vents anger over the job loss or the difficult job hunt, Navarro said.

Among the worst reactions by a spouse is blaming the terminated worker for losing the job. And don't insist that the unemployed worker spend his days doing household chores.

"This is not the time to paint the house, to do the garden work," Lane said. "Looking for a job is full-time work."

The supportive spouse's most difficult task, however, is recognizing that the work of actually landing a new job is the job seeker's responsibility, Ekberg said.



(Staff photo by Pam Doeppke-Hurd)

A FRESH COAT: Albert Valencia, a painter with the Granite City street department, puts a coat of primer on the Johnson Road bridge spanning a storm drainage ditch.

Jarrot Mansion preparing for next renovation phase

By Nicole Vaughn
Staff writer

CAHOKIA — Members of the Jarrot Mansion Project are busy preparing plans to start another phase of renovation at the historic home early this fall.

State Rep. Monroe Flinn, D-Cahokia, recently announced that a \$200,000 state appropriation for the home's restoration has been released. The appropriation was approved last year.

"We are extremely pleased with the cooperation given to our effort by Rep. Flinn," said Loretta Lopinot of the Jarrot Mansion Project. "We value his support for this important site."

The appropriation secured by Flinn will fund a major portion of the restoration, including

extensive work on 30 windows, doorways, sills and 3,400 square feet of original flooring in the mansion. The flooring work must be done by a craftsman familiar with 18th- and 19th-century woodwork.

A portion of the money also will support architectural archaeology, a structural analysis method needed prior to restoration of settlement cracks.

"We have successfully worked with Rep. Flinn and Sen. Kenneth Hall for many years to secure funding needed for stabilizing the building," Lopinot said.

Molly McKenzie, site manager, said the work should begin in September and start with window replacement.

"This will be very visible,"

McKenzie said. "We've put a lot of money into it before, but it's all been structural and mechanical. You spend a lot of money and you don't see where the work was done but with this work, you will."

The Jarrot Mansion, built for entrepreneur Nicholas Jarrot in 1810, is Illinois' oldest brick building. The historic structure, managed by the Illinois Historic Preservation Agency, has been closed to the public, except on special occasions, while awaiting restoration funds.

McKenzie said there is a lot of work to be done at the home but members are encouraged by the recent developments.

"You have to start somewhere," McKenzie said. "We're all very excited."



(Staff photo by Pam Doeppke-Hurd)

WARM AND DRY: Three-year-old Billy Rollins tries to warm up with his babysitter, Lori Nicholas, after swimming at the Paddlers pool. Even though the air temperature was in the 80s the water temperature was in the upper 60s. Rollins is the son of Charlie and Kay Rollins of Granite City.

Sold on St. Louis nominations

Nominees are sought by the Real Estate Board of Metropolitan St. Louis in conjunction with the Regional Commerce and Growth Association's Sold On St. Louis campaign.

The four nomination categories are individual achievement, achievement by a corporation or business located in St. Louis more than five years, achievement by a corporation or busi-

ness located in St. Louis five or fewer years and achievement by a non-business organization.

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Boyko Stavrev Kutriarsky is not a typical hospital volunteer, nor an average student. He may be the only volunteer in the world who has a doctor of medicine degree. He graduated from the Medical Academy, Sofia, Bulgaria, in 1984.

When he moved to the United States a few months ago, he did not know American English. Now he is able to converse with those he works with in the Patient Transport Department at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. But the other volunteers are still trying to figure out how to pronounce his last name correctly.

"I just call him Doc," said Alvenette Metcalf, a volunteer in Patient Transport. "He's ambitious and very pleasant."

It's obvious Kutriarsky is a fast learner, too. Many didn't expect him to catch on as quickly as he did, including Joyce Epperson, director of Volunteer Services at SEMC. "He was brought on as a volunteer maintainer to help him improve his English, but he has become a real asset to the department."

"I didn't think he would be able to make a run for a long time, but after the first week, he was able to understand directions and the layout of the medical center," Epperson said. "We're going to miss him when he leaves." Someday, he hopes to return to practice medicine in his immediate area. He specializes in urology.

First, he needs to pass an English test. Then he will have to successfully complete 24 months of residency training in the United States or Canada and pass his state medical exam.

For a man with no patients, he has a lot of patience. Asked how he felt about pushing patients in wheelchairs rather than treating them, he replied, "It doesn't matter to me. It's important for me to improve my conversation and communicate with people right now."

He takes his English studies seriously and doesn't let any opportunities for conversation get away. "Whenever the phone rings in the office, he's the first one to jump up and answer it

before anyone else has a chance," said Frieda Crawford, a volunteer in Patient Transport. If he's not busy chatting with patients or other volunteers, you will find him with his nose buried in a stenographer's notebook, studying words and memorizing their definitions. He wants to learn as much as he can, so he can take his English test.

"My French helps me (learn English)," said Kutriarsky, who speaks French and Bulgarian fluently and has also studied Latin and Russian in school. "A lot of French words sound like American words."

An even bigger help is his wife, Dimitrina, a grade school teacher in Collinsville. "Ena," as he calls her, was born in Bulgaria and moved to the U.S. with her parents 26 years ago. Her father is the Bulgarian Orthodox priest (the Rev. Peter Stamboldjev) at Holy Trinity Bulgarian Eastern Orthodox Church, Madison.

"I met Ena while she was vacationing at a resort on the Black Sea," Kutriarsky said.

The two later got married in Bulgaria on Aug. 16, 1989. They are expecting the birth of their first child this November.

Dec. 9 was Kutriarsky's first day in the United States. "I had heard a lot about the United

States and seen American movies in Bulgaria," he said, "but that's all." First-hand experience has provided him with a more accurate picture. "Life is fast paced here. In Bulgaria, it's much slower," he said.

"In Bulgaria, we don't have all of this technology—some, but not as much. Here, it's almost all computerized. There's also better communication between doctors and patients here."

Bulgaria is bordered by Romania (across the Danube River) to the north, Greece and Turkey to the south, and Yugoslavia to the west.

He has been impressed by the people he has met. "I like the people in America. They are friendly and open, always ready to help."

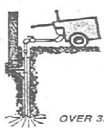
During his first week at SEMC, Gil Robeff, a volunteer in Patient Transport, trained the new recruit.

"It had been a long time since I had any dealings with the language," said Robeff, whose father was born in Greece, his mother in Bulgaria.

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DR. BOYKO KUTRIARSKY (far right) volunteers in the Patient Transport Department at SEMC four days a week. Since starting in March, he has not missed a day of work. He is here to improve his English, so he can take a language test and then his state medical exam. Some of the new friends he has made at the medical center are (left to right) Connie Wheeler, Frieda Crawford, Gil Robeff and Alvenette Metcalf.



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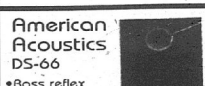
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No competition for Fairmount

By Christopher Duggan
Staff writer

FORISTELL—A lack of financing has killed a group's plans for a horse-racing track that would have competed in this metropolitan region with the Fairmount track at Collinsville.

A group of investors announced it is giving up on 1½ years of attempts to construct a track for races and betting at Foristell in Missouri.

Andy Arnold, executive director of St. Louis Racetrack Development Inc., said May 31 the group is going to let its conditional license to operate a track expire.

The investors failed to secure enough financing for the track by the end-of-May deadline set by the Missouri Horse Racing Commission.

The group had been granted a license last November to operate a \$28 million track under the condition that it could raise the money to start up the operation by March 2 of this year.

The commission extended the deadline to May 31 after a request by the group in late February.

But on the final day, the group announced it had missed the deadline and would not apply for another extension.

"We feel we have explored just about every alternative possible to finance the track," Arnold said. "I think we've covered that pretty well."

Arnold said a shareholders meeting will be held in mid-June to decide what the future of the company will be.

"Although our license has lapsed, we are still on record as an applicant with the commission," Arnold said. "We could ask that our application be put on inactive status, or we could ask to withdraw it."

Arnold said the group would

still be in a good position to start up a track if it could obtain financing, even though the license lapsed.

He said he felt the track had crossed the threshold from being a good investment into being a bad one.

"The feeling among major investors in the country now toward track start-ups is that they are a bad bet," Arnold said. "This is based on a few overbuilt, poorly managed operations that have closed down."

Arnold cited tracks in Miami, Alabama and Minnesota that have closed. "We have talked to several investors who said they want a better guarantee of a return than we could give them. Who knows? If the situation improves at some point, we may decide to try again. We've learned a lot. It just wasn't the right time."

Arnold said the group has put more than \$500,000 into the track project since beginning work on it in January 1989. "We still think horse racing would be successful here, in spite of gloomy projections. It would have been a great bolster to the state and local economies."

It would have been the first pari-mutuel track since horse racing was approved by Missouri voters in 1984.

Roger Cox, mayor of Foristell, said that although he is disappointed at the failure of the track plan, it does not significantly impact the city.

Some spinoff industries and commerce were expected to come into the city of 155 people due to the track, greatly increasing its tax revenue following the start of the track.

"Foristell has a lot going for it," Cox said. "Even without the track, we have a lot of land that could be utilized by other kinds of developments."

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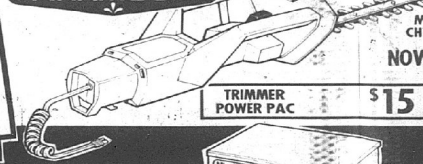
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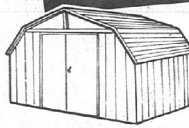
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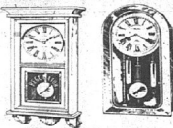
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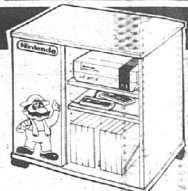
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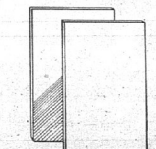
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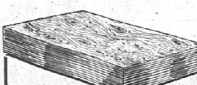
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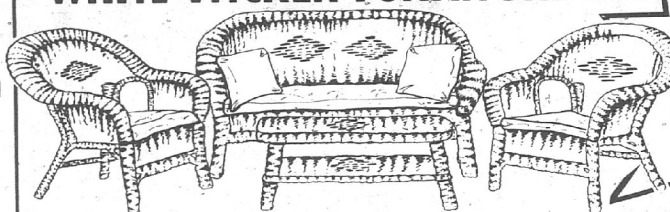
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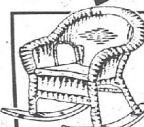
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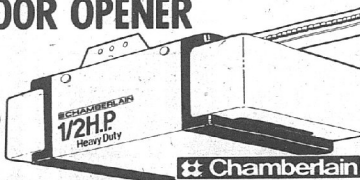
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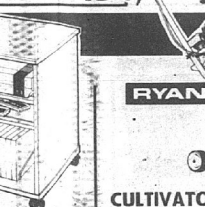
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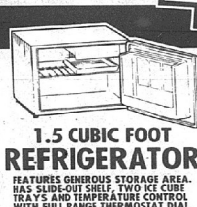
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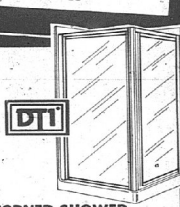
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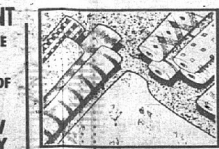


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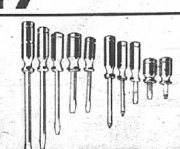
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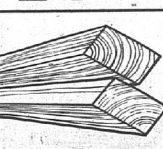
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Briefly

Library gets phone for deaf

For the first time, a deaf person can communicate with the Granite City Public Library District by telephone. The library district recently installed an Ultratec Superprint TDD (telecommunication device for the deaf) at its main building, located at 2001 Delmar Ave. The library staff was trained in using the TDD by Janet Kohlbecker of the Illinois state Department of Rehabilitation Services. Six library staff members received training. Using his or her own machine, a hearing-impaired person can contact the library at 452-6243. An official said the staff expects that it will take several calls before it becomes proficient with the TDD, so it asks anyone making a TDD call to be patient.

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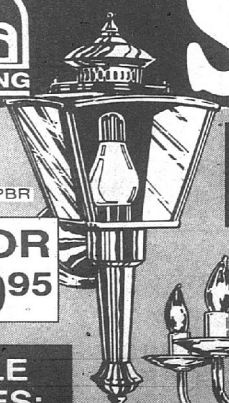
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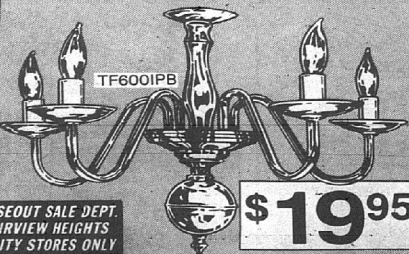
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Shriners Hospital expands

By Dawn Adams Huffman
Staff writer

After more than two years of construction, Shriners Hospital, 2001 Lindbergh Blvd., St. Louis County, opened its new outpatient clinic and cafeteria facilities in May.

But trailers still remain in front of the hospital because much of the 57,515-square-foot area being renovated and the 40,558-square-foot addition will not be completely finished until 1991, said Rebecca Molen, spokeswoman for the hospital.

"We're usually an 80-bed facility but because of construction we're looking at a number lower than that, probably more like 60," Molen said.

Shriners Hospital for Crippled Children provides free orthopedic care to youngsters up to 18 years old.

Despite the inconveniences of construction, the staff, employees and visitors now can enjoy the new cafeteria, Molen said.

"The food's tremendous. It's very good and very reasonable," Molen said.

And more people can be served in the outpatient area, which now boasts 18 larger examining rooms with X-ray viewing machines instead of 10 smaller rooms, she said.

"The outpatient area is much more accessible to persons in walkers and wheelchairs," she said. The area also has a central nursing island, and a large play area for children.

"We're happy about having so much room," Molen said. "An area on the side is separate but allows the parents to keep an eye on their kids."

The new administrative offices and operating area have also opened, she said.

"Before, we had two operating rooms; now we have three," Molen said. "We can handle more surgical patients and speed things along."

Areas still to be renovated as part of the \$15.3 million improvement project include the pharmacy, the physical, occupational and recreational therapy area, and an expansion of the central storage.

Additions to the building include new radiology and medical records rooms, family services and the area where prostheses are made.

The professional library still must be built, she said. And to make parking easier, 50 additional parking spaces are planned.

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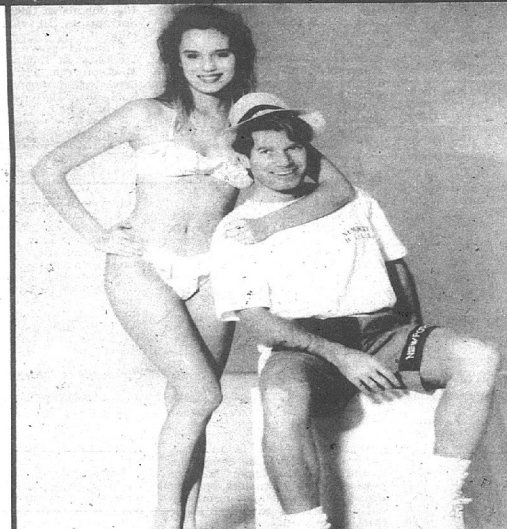
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Obituaries



Anthony Marsala
Marsala

Anthony Marsala, 84, formerly of Madison, died at 10:45 a.m. Monday, June 11, 1990, at Elwood Nursing Care Center, Edwardsville. He had been ill for two months.

Mr. Marsala was born Oct. 18, 1905, in St. Louis and lived in Madison for 38 years. He was retired and was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church in Madison.

Surviving are three brothers, Joseph Marsala of Edwardsville, Frank Marsala of St. Louis and Vincent Marsala of Granite City.

Visitation was held from 4 to 9 p.m. Tuesday at Werner Chapel, 3839 Lake Drive, Pontoon Beach, with a 7 p.m. Rosary recited. Funeral services will be conducted at 10 a.m. today (Wednesday) at St. Mary's Catholic Church, 10th Street and Alton Avenue, Madison, by the Rev. Jim Keefner. Burial will be at Calvary Cemetery near Edwardsville.

Masses are suggested as memorials.

Seneff

Emily A. (Arnold) Seneff, 91, of Pueblo, Colo., formerly of Granite City, died Friday, June 8, 1990, at the University Park Care Center there.

Mrs. Seneff was born March 30, 1899, in Bowling Green, Ohio, and lived in Granite City and Birmingham, Ala., prior to moving to Pueblo in 1981.

She had been a member of the First United Methodist Church of Pueblo and a Blue Lady at Parkview Episcopal Medical Center in Pueblo for several years.

Survivors include a son, Gordon A. Seneff of Pueblo, 10 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

Preceding her in death were her husband, John Wesley Seneff, a longtime Granite Cityan who died in 1972, and a daughter, Joanne Seneff, who died in 1981. Memorial services were held Tuesday at First United Methodist Church in Pueblo. Her remains were donated to the Anatomical Board of the State of Colorado.

Bradley

Clarence Bradley, 84, of Venice died at 9:37 p.m. Friday, June 8, 1990, in the emergency room at St. Elizabeth Medical Center, Granite City.

Mr. Bradley was born Feb. 8, 1906, in Watson, Ark., and had been a resident of the Metro East area for 45 years.

He was formerly employed as superintendent of streets for Venice for 19 years prior to his retirement. He was a veteran of World War II, serving in the U.S. Army. He is survived by two brothers, Percy Bradley of Cleveland and Willie Bradley of Madison, and two sisters, Mary Carswell of Flint, Mich., and Alberta Cross of Venice.

Visitation will be held today (Wednesday) from 11 to 10 p.m. and Thursday from 9 a.m. to the funeral time at Officer Funeral Home, 214 Missouri Ave., East St. Louis. Funeral services will be held at noon Thursday at Officer, Burial will be at National Cemetery, Jefferson Barracks, Mo.

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Taylor

Alberta S. (Smith) Taylor, 90, of Granite City died at 1:40 a.m. Tuesday, June 12, 1990, at Edwardsville Care Center West, where she had resided for the past two months. She had been in ill health for four months.

Mrs. Taylor was born Aug. 31, 1899, in Leach Township, Ill., and had lived in Granite City for 48 years. She had been a homemaker and a member of Trinity United Methodist Church in Granite City.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Bobby (Dorothy) Cathey of Granite City; two brothers, John D. Smith of Albion, Ill., and Lawrence G. Smith of Asheville, N.C.; one sister, Bessie-Suita of Golden-gate, Ill.; three grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Preceding her in death were her husband, James E. Taylor, who died in August 1977; two daughters, Leola and Eloise Taylor; and one son, Kenneth Taylor, who died in 1987.

Visitation will begin at 4 p.m. today (Wednesday) at Thomas Memorial Mortuary, 2205 Pontoon Road. Funeral services will be held at 1 p.m. Thursday at Trinity United Methodist Church, 2543 E. 25th St. Burial will be at Lake View Memorial Gardens, Belleville.

The family suggests memorials to Trinity Church.

Dandridge

Fannie M. Dandridge, 61, of Venice died at her home at 6:40 p.m. Saturday, June 9, 1990.

Born March 2, 1929, in Venice, she was a lifelong resident of the Metro East area and a member of New Salem Baptist Church in Venice.

She is survived by two sons, Chuck Dandridge of Fort Worth, Texas, and Darren Dandridge of Venice; one daughter, Deborah Shelby of Madison; three brothers, Sidney Dandridge of Los Angeles, Arthur Dandridge of Venice and William Dandridge Jr. of East St. Louis; one sister, Shirley Holtz of Inkster, Mich.; seven grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Visitation will be held at Officer Funeral Home, 214 Missouri Ave., East St. Louis, on Friday from 1 to 10 p.m. Funeral services will be held Saturday at noon at the New Salem Baptist Church, 139 Klein St., Venice, with the Rev. John Henry Williams, pastor, officiating. Burial will be at Sunset Gardens of Memory, Mill-stadt.

Biggs

William G. Biggs, 66, of Granite City died at 9:55 a.m. Sunday, June 10, 1990, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center, where he had been a patient for six weeks. He had been in ill health for the past 11 months.

Born Oct. 9, 1923, in Granite City, he was a lifelong resident. He was an expeditor at the McDonnell Douglas aircraft plant, St. Louis County, until retiring in 1986 after 27 years of service.

Mr. Biggs was a U.S. Army veteran and was of the Protestant faith.

Survivors include two sons, William T. Biggs and Dennis E. Biggs, both of Granite City; two daughters, Janice Boyd and Mrs. Ronald (Judy) Hawthorne, both of Granite City; a daughter-in-law, Barbara Biggs of Granite City; five brothers, Richard Biggs of Long Beach, Calif., Luther Biggs of Glen Carbon, Larry Biggs of Mount Olive, Donald Biggs of Granite City and Charles Biggs; two sisters, Thelma Zimmerman of Edwardsville and Mrs. Monte (Virginia) Montemagno of Hemet, Calif.; and 16 grandchildren.

Preceding him in death were his wife, Imogene Biggs, who died Jan. 24, 1989; one son, Gerald A. Biggs; and his parents, Luther and Edna (Cook) Biggs.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at Mercer Mortuary, 1416 Niedringhaus Ave., with the Rev.

Eddy Brown officiating. Burial was at Sunset Hill Memorial Estates near Edwardsville. The family suggests memorials to the American Cancer Society.



Herman Fahnster
Fahnster

Herman R. Fahnster, 79, of St. Louis, formerly of Granite City, died at the home of his daughter in Florissant at 10:50 a.m. Sunday, June 10, 1990.

Mr. Fahnster was born Dec. 9, 1910, in Granite City and lived here until moving to St. Louis eight months ago. He retired in 1967 from Granite City Steel, where he had worked for 27 years as an electrical foreman. He was a member of the First Assembly of God Church in Granite City and had been a volunteer for the American Red Cross Day Care Center in Florissant.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. William (Jeanette) Overturf of Hazelwood and Mrs. Don (Becky) Ehlers of Florissant; five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Preceding him in death was his wife, Agnes (Wolz) Fahnster, who died Oct. 8, 1989.

Visitation was held Tuesday from 4 to 8 p.m. at Irwin Chapel, 3950 Maryville Road, Granite City. Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. today (Wednesday) at First Assembly of God, 24th Street and the Grand Avenue, with the Rev. C. Dale Edwards officiating. Burial will be at Sunset Hill Memorial Estates near Edwardsville.

The family suggests memorials to the First Assembly of God.

•Pratt—

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"Accepting employment by their professional judgment may be affected by financial and business interest without their clients' consent."

"Entering into business agreements with clients if they have conflicting interest without their clients' consent."

"Engaging in conduct that is prejudicial to the administration of justice."

Pratt was not available to comment, but one of his attorneys, William J. Harte of Chicago, said the loans are necessary so victims of work accidents can survive until a settlement is reached.

Without the loans, large corporations and insurance companies would have the upper hand in personal injury lawsuits because many victims cannot economically withstand extended litigation, Harte said.

"They're not working, and they're needy," Harte said. "If the railroad isn't paying you, you have to get money to eat. These loans mean the victims aren't forced to accept a low settlement because of a desperate need for money."

Harte said the loans were proper because of Illinois Supreme Court decisions that allow loans to clients who need money for necessities and would otherwise be forced to accept

Lengyel

Betty L. (Sparks) Lengyel, 64, of Granite City died at 7:10 p.m. Sunday, June 10, 1990, in Barnes Hospital, St. Louis. She had been ill for several years and in the hospital for two days.

Born Jan. 31, 1926, in Granite City, she was a lifelong resident. She was an officer manager at Kelly Girl Secretarial Services in St. Louis for about 10 years and was of the Protestant faith.

Survivors include her husband, James D. Lengyel of Granite City; one son, James M. Lengyel, a captain on the Granite City Police Department; two brothers, Donald Sparks of Granite City and David Sparks of Edwardsville; one sister, Mrs. Marian Richeson of Granite City; her mother, Mrs. Ruby Cook of Granite City; and one grandchild.

Private funeral services were held Tuesday at Irwin Chapel, 3950 Maryville Road, with the Rev. Samuel Boda officiating. Burial was at Sunset Hill Memorial Estates near Edwardsville.

Memorials are suggested for the American Heart Association.

Watters

Harold W. Watters, 65, of Granite City was pronounced dead at 6 a.m. Sunday, June 10, 1990, at his home by Madison County Deputy Coroner Ed Werner. Mr. Watters had been in ill health for the past year.

Born July 10, 1924, in Tuscola, Ill., he served in the Army for 20 years and then was a civil service worker in St. Louis from 1965-81. He was a member of Good Shepherd United Methodist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Yasuko (Imamura) Watters; two sons, Harold Watters Jr. of Granite City and Christopher Watters of Kansas City, Mo.; two brothers, Joseph Watters of Friesland, Wis., and James Watters of Bradley, Ill.; one sister, Glenna Kinkade of Springfield, Ill.; and one grandchild.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at Irwin Chapel, 3950 Maryville Road, with the Rev. John Davis officiating. Burial was at National Cemetery, Jefferson Barracks, Mo.

The family suggests memorials to Good Shepherd United Methodist Church, Granite City.

unjust settlements.

But a lawyer for a worker who received loans from Pratt said the practice is improper because it puts the client at the lending attorney's mercy.

"From what I have seen with my client, I find something definitely wrong. I am against anything that gives a black eye to the legal profession," said the attorney, who asked not to be identified.

From 1973 until 1985, the loans came out of the Paul L. Pratt Employee Profit Sharing Plan, according to the complaint.

After 1985, the clients received loans from the firm's bank accounts or loans guaranteed by Pratt from seven banks, O'Malley said.

Pratt created the profit sharing plan in 1972 to divide profits among employees and to provide benefits upon death, disability or retirement for employees and their beneficiaries, O'Malley said.

Pratt and his attorneys stopped making the loans out of the profit-sharing fund in 1985. O'Malley said the U.S. Labor Department ruled the plan couldn't be used for loans to his clients.

Pet of the Week



WHITEY, a 3-year-old male Spitz mix puppy, is described as gentle and housebroken. He is available for adoption through the Association for the Protection of Animals. For information on animals contact the APA at 931-7030, or visit the shelter from 9 a.m. to noon, 6 to 8 p.m. on Monday through Fridays, and 9 to 12 on Saturdays and Sundays, at 5000 Old Alton Road, Granite City.

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Corps: River plan may spur economy

By Marvin Cortner
Staff writer

EVANSVILLE — Communities near and along the Kaskaskia River could experience improved recreational and economic development from a plan proposed by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers.

Natural resources specialist Dick Conner, with the Corps' St. Louis District, visited Evansville recently to explain his plan for the Kaskaskia River and to seek public support.

"You have a tremendous resource in this area in the Kaskaskia River," said Conner to a crowd of about 50 people in the Evansville American Legion.

"Because the Corps is managing the river for flood control and navigation (only), the natural resources, which include the environment and recreation, are suffering."

At the meeting, Conner presented a five-point plan for the river, stretching from Lake Shelbyville in the north to the lock and dam at Roots near the Mississippi River.

Conner said the first part of the plan involves completion of the Kaskaskia River flood control project and lessening of adverse environmental effects produced by the project.

That would include construction of levees between New Athens and Carlyle and between Cowden and Vandalia, a transfer of ownership of land along the river from the Illinois Department of Transportation to the Corps, and a change in water control at both Shelbyville and Carlyle lakes.

•Bank—

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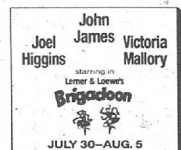
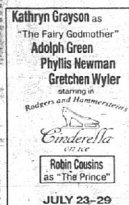
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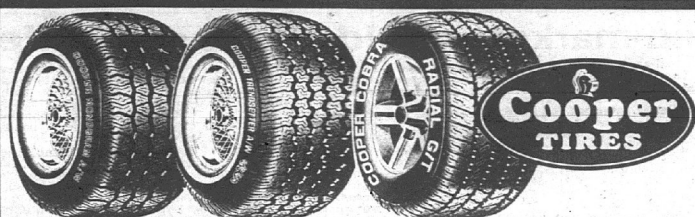


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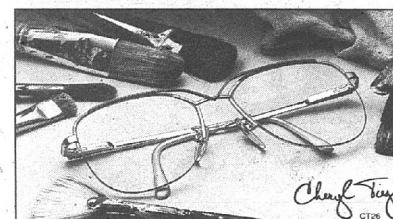
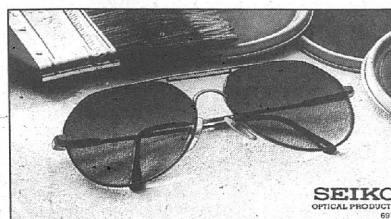
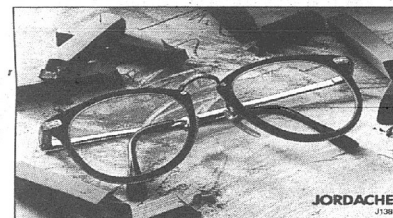
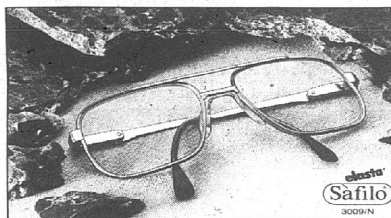


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Unstable bond markets could affect some life insurance companies

By Sylvia Porter

Los Angeles Times Syndicate

Should you be concerned with the financial strength of your life insurance company? The answer is yes. But the time to be really concerned is when you buy your policies, just like when you make any other investment.

The insurance industry is faced with liquidity problems far beyond any it has known in the past.

This does not mean you should cancel or switch your policies, or lose very much sleep about it — unless you discover your company is one of a handful that is approaching insolvency. But it does mean you should find out more about the people you are depending on to secure your retirement or protect your family in the event of your death.

Just how bad is the situation? That depends on which expert is speaking.

Of the more than 2,000 life insurance companies in the United States, about 600 are members of the American Council of Life Insurance. These 600 companies hold more than 83 percent of the life insurance in force in U.S. legal reserve companies, and almost 99 percent of the

insured pension plan business.

The council claims well of its members are financially sound.

Martin Weiss, a financial newsletter publisher and head of Weiss Research Inc. of West Palm Beach, Fla., disagrees.

He is concerned that the junk-bond crisis will get worse, and that "all bonds which boast a better-than-junk rating" are not immune to default.

"We find that the life and health insurance companies are the most vulnerable at precisely the most dangerous time in history," Weiss says.

This unique convergence of circumstances can lead to only one outcome: a wave of failures which will rival those of the savings and loan crisis.

Not surprisingly, it is hard to find an insurance industry executive or another rating service that agrees with Weiss.

Despite nervousness in the market and apparent fears by

some that high-yield bond holdings present a near-term threat to solvency, most life insurance companies that hold a significant amount of high-yield bonds have both the liquidity and capital to absorb problems and remain financially secure," according to a report from Standard & Poor's.

Robert Hunter, president of the National Insurance Consumers Organization, one of the most vocal critics of insurers, agrees that the talk about widespread insurance company insolvencies is off the mark.

Northwestern Mutual Insurance Co. says that 4.5 percent of its total assets are in high-yield issues, but that this poses virtually no risk to the company's financial stability.

"If the junk market collapsed as the result of a weak economy,

the Federal Reserve would ease monetary policy to bring interest rates down," says Mark Doll, treasurer for Northwestern Mutual. "That would be phenomenal for the investment-grade bonds in our portfolio."

"If, on the other hand, the economy were to heat up, and interest rates rise, our investment-grade portfolio would suffer, but common stocks and the junk bonds would undoubtedly benefit."

A handful of insurance companies does have liquidity problems, but those companies are readily identifiable, says Denis Mullane, chief executive officer of Connecticut General Insurance.

"Consumers can make judgments of their own based on size, age and the ratings assigned by Moody's, Best's and

Standard and Poor's," he says.

Using a rating system that is extraordinarily penetrating, Weiss found 10 companies he considers the strongest in America: Employers National, Superior Life, United Insurance Co., Tennessee Farmers Life, Pekin Life, Liberty National, Colonial Life & Accident, Jefferson-Pilot Life, American Family Life and State Farm Life.

Although you cannot conduct a professional analysis of your company, Weiss says there are some questions you should ask:

•What investments does the company have? How safe are they?

•Does the company have sufficient resources to cover potential losses?

•How large a cushion does the company have in order to absorb investment losses?

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Section B

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 13, 1990
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GC couple marks 40th

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Cotter celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary on May 12.

A reception was held at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Thomas and Abby Mattern of Holiday Shores, Edwardsville.

Mr. Cotter and the former Joann Breyer were married at a Presbyterian church in Jefferson City, Mo. on May 12, 1950, by the Rev. A.B. Jackson. He is retired from the Granite City Steel, where he was employed for 34 years.

Mrs. Cotter is a homemaker. They are the parents of four daughters, Abby Mattern, Carol Denny, Alice Heidbrink and Carrie Wiesehan, and have three grandchildren.

The head table held a tiered wedding cake and a champagne toast was proposed by the honoree's brother, Keith Cotter.

Dinner was served to more than 40 guests. Many friends and relatives also called at the house to offer congratulations.

The party was hosted by their



Mr. and Mrs.
Melvin Cotter

daughters and their husbands, Thomas and Abby Mattern, Gary and Carol Denny, Steve and Alice Heidbrink and Scott and Carrie Wiesehan.

CWF rummage and bake sale June 16

The Christian Women's Fellowship will sponsor a rummage and bake sale on Saturday, June 16, from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the

Fellowship Hall at Central Christian Church, 2020 Johnson Road.

Organizers said there will be something for everyone.

Magician to open GC Library series

Donald Woodruff, a magician, will begin the Summer Artists Series of the Madison County Arts Council at the Granite City District Library on Tuesday, June 19.

Woodruff will entertain an audience of all ages in the children's room at the main library, 2001 Delmar Ave., at 11

a.m. His performance will be repeated the same day at 1 p.m. in the branch library, 2145 Johnson Road.

Everyone must have a ticket to attend the performance. Tickets are free and will be issued starting today (Wednesday) at both libraries.

Crawford hosts Preceptor Beta

Dinner was served at the home of Roberta Crawford when members of Preceptor Beta Gamma Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority gathered there for its final meeting of the season.

Betty Beck, president elect, announced committee appointments for the coming year.

Linda Koenig, retiring president, conducted the installation of officers and shared informa-

tion concerning the 1991 state convention to be held in Aurora. Members also enjoyed guessing and revealing their secret pals.

Also attending were Marilyn Lumpkins, Vickie Barth, Barbara Hente, B.J. Jones, Cherrel Beck, Carolyn Gernkovich, Carol Cathey, Donna Bowen and a guest, Gina Bower.

Genealogical group to meet Thursday

The Madison County Genealogical Society will meet Thursday at 7 p.m. at Immanuel United Methodist Church, 800 N. Main St., Edwardsville.

The program, "A Lithuanian Odyssey," will be presented by Meta Kikutis of Collinsville.

Available from the MCGS are packets for beginning genealogists and researchers for \$5. The packets contain a wide variety of genealogical information, forms, brochures and address lists, society members said.



CONFIRMANDS: Young people confirmed at Good Shepherd United Methodist Church on May 20 are shown with their pastor, the Rev. John E. Davis, center. In the foreground are Matt Little, left, and Matt Wilson. Second row, from left, are Chris Charter, Davis, Robin Cain and Dea Caschetta.

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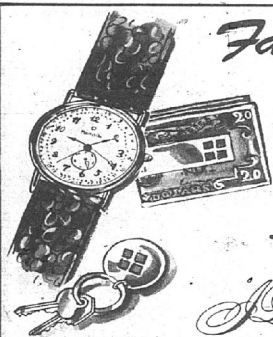
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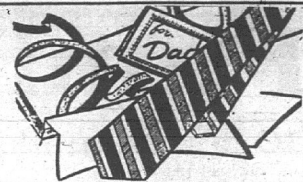
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Search for Miss Illinois now underway

Applications are now being accepted for the 1991 Miss Illinois—USA Pageant, which is the official preliminary to the nationally televised Miss USA Pageant.

The Miss USA Pageant will be televised live on the CBS network next February. Entry deadline is June 30, 1990.

Over \$200,000 in cash and prizes await the winner of the 1991 Miss USA Pageant.

The Illinois Pageant will be held Nov. 23 to 25 in the Grand Ballroom of the Woodfield Hilton Hotel.

There is no performing "talent" requirement. All judging is based on poise, personality and beauty of face and figure.

Girls from Illinois between 18 and 26 years of age who wish further information must write to: Miss Illinois-USA, Pageant Headquarters, Dept. NA, 444 West Galena Blvd., Suite A, Aurora, Illinois 60006, or phone (708) 896-9638.

Letters must include two recent snapshots; a face shot and a full-body shot in a swimsuit or shorts, and a brief biography which includes date of birth and home phone number.

Miss Illinois will win a trip to Hawaii, a full-length fur coat, a complete competition wardrobe including three designer evening gowns, plus an all-expense-paid trip to the national pageant.

Schooley girls observe birthdays

Jacklyn and Jennifer Schooley celebrated their birthdays on Sunday, May 20, with a party given by their parents, Jack and Barb Schooley, at Show Biz Pizza.

The Show-Biz characters sang "Happy Birthday" to Jacklyn, who was 6 years old, and Jennifer, who was 3 years old. Pizza and cake was served to the guests and the honorees opened their gifts.

Those attending were: Marilyn Schooley, Ann and E.M. Siebert; Bill Heather and Billy Schooley; Tom, Kathy, Justin and Matthew Schooley; Rick and Joyce Schooley; Judy, Julie and Emily Novosel; Sandy Siebert; John and Connie Ceriotti; Amy Siebert and Scott Strack; Keith Robin, Stephanie, Alexandria and Timothy Branch; Tom, Sue and Jonathan Goedeke, Kristen Lane, and Brian Schooley.

How to submit your articles

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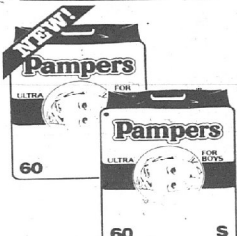
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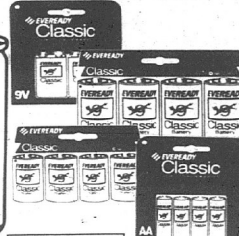
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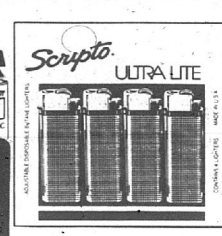
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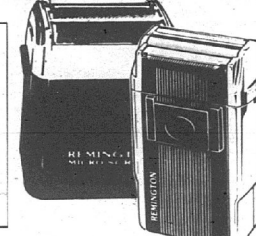
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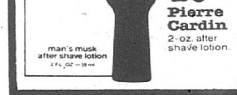
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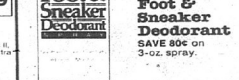
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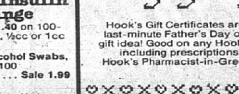
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District garden clubs hold annual workshop

The District V Garden Clubs met May 34 at St. Luke Parish Hall in Belleville for its annual workshop. Shiloh Valley Garden Club was hostess club. The club's president Mrs. Juanita Shubin gave the welcoming address with a response by Gerry Thorp, District Vice Chairman.

After the business meeting, presided over by District Director Bea Halford, the following awards received at the April 17 annual convention of The Garden Clubs of Illinois, Inc. were presented by Trish Haislar, immediate past director:

Blue and Silver ribbon to District V for Holiday Flower Show Excellence; cash awards for civic projects to Holiday Flower Garden Club and Wood River Garden Club; Environmental Education Award to Cahokia Garden Club; St. Clair County Garden Club; red ribbon for best yearbook in district and red ribbon for best history (60 years).

Club achievement awards: Purple rosettes to Cahokia Garden Club, Cloverview Garden Club, Holiday Shores Garden Club, Lakeview Garden Club, Mascoutah Garden Club, St. Clair County Garden Club, Shiloh Valley Garden Club; Blue rosettes to Creative Gardeners of Jersey County, Edwardsville Garden Club and Wood River Garden Club.

Four publicity press book awards for small clubs were received by District V clubs; Cahokia, first place; Collinsville, second place; Mascoutah and Lakeview, both honorable mention.

Membership extension awards to: Garden Study Club of Granite City, Green Oaks, Holiday

Shores, Lakeview and Trenton Tumbleweeds; Membership retention to: Cahokia, Cloverview, and Fairview Heights.

The youth groups also received recognition. Smokey Bear Environmental Poster Contest winners were: (kindergarten through second grade) Adam Venhaus, first place, Kevin Brinkman, second place; (third through fifth grade) Todd Fisher, second place. All three were sponsored by Trenton Tumbleweeds.

After a potluck lunch, Bob Young, St. Clair County Health Department presented a program on "Environmental Recycling" with special emphasis on the new law which goes into effect July 1 in regards to disposing of yard waste. Mr. Young presented different ways of disposing yard waste.

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Leonard A. Nunery and Clara E. Branch, both of Granite City.

Frank H. Parker Jr. and Nancy A. Modica, both of Granite City.

Donald K. Rea of Granite City and Shirley A. McMullen of Madison.

Gary L. Smith and Carol Jean Smith, both of Granite City.

Edward L. Besaw and Raquel V. Penny, both of Granite City.

Steven Kevin Argus and Becky Lee Huff, both of Granite City.

George M. Barker and Linda S. Carper, both of Granite City.

Sylvester A. Boone and Anita L. Boone, both of Granite City.

Dennis Eugene Borror and Vicky Lynn Burris, both of Granite City.

Bruce Alan Burnett and Deborah Jean Burnett, both of Granite City.

Chester Louis Byrd and Karen Lee Katzman, both of Granite City.

Michael Paul Dixon Sr. and Jean Karen Hanfelder, both of Granite City.

Kim Louis Fock and Jeneanne M. Brown, both of Granite City.

Charles E. Halbe and Ruth J. Hinkle, both of Granite City.

Donald G. Hammond and Laura Christine Knight, both of Mitchell.

Christopher J. Harizal of Granite City and Marlene A. Kaiser of Troy, Ill.

Scott A. Harris and Kimberly Sue Kujawa, both of Granite City.

David Wayne Hunt and Tina Marie Gresham, both of Granite City.

Leonard E. King and Doris Jean Willis, both of Granite City.

Laren S. Love of Millstadt and Carmela L. Braundmeier of Granite City.

Albino Antonio Martins and Laurie Lee Cole, both of Granite City.

Mark Leonard Miller and Jennifer Nicole Thomas, both of Granite City.

Rafael Ruiz of Fairmont City and Jo Ann M. Macios of Granite City.

Jon Christopher Soles and Sherry Renee Hancock, both of Granite City.

Robert Gene Steiner and Gail Renee Christian, both of Granite City.

Jody Lawrence Terry and Patricia Sue Watson, both of Granite City.

Edward Phillip Wilkinson Jr. and Rhonda Renee Spohr, both of Granite City.

James A. Willoughby and Doris S. Willoughby, both of Granite City.

Danny Ellis Wilson and Shirley J. Miller, both of Granite City.

Thomas M. Wonsil of Chicago and Amy M. Patterson of Granite City.

Gary Wayne York and Gwendolyn Sue Wilmeyer, both of Granite City.

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Births

Kara Lynn Hasty

Sherry Hasty of Granite City is announcing the birth of her daughter, born at St. Elizabeth's Hospital in Belleville on May 25, 1990, at 11:21 a.m.

The infant has been named Kara Lynn. She weighed 7 pounds, 5 ounces and was 21 inches long.

Kara joins a brother, Christopher, 6.

Maternal grandparents are Grace and Richard Hasty of Granite City.

Tonni M. Sauerwin

Anthony Sauerwin and Cheryl Coulter of Granite City are announcing the birth of their daughter, born on May 25, 1990, at 1:14 p.m. at Anderson Hospital in Maryville.

The infant, Tonni Michelle Sauerwin, weighed 7 pounds, 6 ounces. She joins a brother, Joshua Adam, 3.

The maternal grandmother is Beverly Haley and the paternal grandparents are John and Carolyn Sauerwin. All reside in Granite City.

Brittney Holik

Shella Turner and Carl Holik of Granite City are announcing the birth of their daughter, Brittney Nicole Holik, born May 16, 1990, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center at 10:45 a.m.

The new arrival weighed 6 pounds, 9 ounces and joins two other children, Shaun, 13, and Twyla Turner, 11.

Maternal grandparents are Roseline and Robert Turner of Granite City.

Paternal grandparents are Virginia Holik of Granite City is the paternal grandmother.

Kelsey Wofford

Mr. and Mrs. Gregory Wofford of Collinsville, formerly of Granite City, are announcing the birth of their first child, a daughter, born at St. Anthony's Hospital in Alton.

The infant, Kelsey Mae, weighed 9 pounds.

The mother is the former Tammy Barnes.

Maternal grandparents are Edward and Edna Barnes. Paternal grandparents are Robert Leo and Mary Wofford. All reside in Granite City.

Ariana M. Pena

Mr. and Mrs. Rafael Pena of Granite City are announcing the birth of their daughter, born May 25, 1990, at Anderson Hospital in Maryville.

The infant has been named Ariana Maribel. She weighed 8 pounds, 5 ounces and joins a sister, Charissa, 2.

The mother is the former Wilma Sanchez.

Maternal grandparents are Frank and Rita Sanchez of Yavco, Puerto Rico. Paternal grandparents are Maria Pena of Woodside, N.Y.

Adam M. Sigite

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Sigite of Granite City are announcing the birth of their son, born at 11:53 a.m. June 6, 1990, at St. Mary's Health Center in Richmond Heights, Mo.

The infant has been named Adam Michael. He weighed 8 pounds and was 19½ inches long. He joins a brother, Andrew, 4½.

The mother is the former Elizabeth Unfried.

Maternal grandparents are Virginia and Lawrence Unfried of Granite City. The paternal grandparents are Olive Sigite of Granite City and the late Andrew Sigite.

Nathan R. McKey

Mr. and Mrs. Deron McKey of Bethalto are announcing the birth of their son, born May 24, 1990, at Anderson Hospital in Maryville.

The infant, Nathan Richard, weighed 8 pounds, 11 ounces. He joins a sister, Brittany Nicole, 2.

The mother is the former Dena Laird.

Maternal grandparents are Mary and Gerald Stanton of Hartford and Dennis Laird of Granite City.

Paternal grandparents are Merle and Diane McKey of Bethalto.

Goebel infant

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Goebel of Pontoon Beach are announcing the birth of a son, born at 1:13 p.m. May 23, 1990, at Anderson Hospital in Maryville. The infant weighed 7 pounds, 10 ounces.

The mother is the former Theresa M. Friedrich.

Maternal grandparents are Dave and Delores Friedrich of Granite City. Paternal grandparents are Leo and Lena Goebel of Florissant, Mo.

The couple has two other children, Nathan and A.J.

Jessica Mitchell

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Mitchell of Granite City are announcing the birth of their daughter, born May 27, 1990, at Anderson Hospital in Maryville.

The infant has been named Jessica Anne. She weighed 6 pounds, 9 ounces and joins a sister, Ashley, 3.

The mother is the former Tammy Sanford.

Maternal grandparents are Paul and Marian Sanford of Belleville. Paternal grandparents are Louis and Carole Mitchell of Granite City.

Travis R. Cage

Thomas Lambert and Lisa Cage of Granite City are announcing the birth of their son, born May 30, 1990, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

The infant, Travis Richard Cage, weighed 5 pounds, 13 ounces. He joins a brother, Christopher, 3.

The mother is the former Lisa Hicks.

Maternal grandparents are Edward and Dolores Geier and paternal grandparents are Charles and Rosetta Lambert, all of Lemay, Mo.

Christine Hoedebeck

Keith and Mary Hoedebeck of Granite City are announcing the birth of a daughter, Christine Marie, born at 10:28 a.m. on May 22, 1990, at Christian North-west Hospital, St. Louis.

The infant weighed 5 pounds, 9 ounces. She joins a brother, Brian Keith Hoedebeck.

The mother is the former Mary Miller.

Maternal grandparents are Fred and Edna Miller of Granite City.

The paternal grandmother is Lavern Hoedebeck of Granite City.

Adam Hutchinson

Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Hutchinson of Granite City are announcing the birth of their son, born May 28, 1990, at Anderson Hospital in Maryville.

The infant has been named Adam Michael. He weighed 5 pounds, 9 ounces.

The mother is the former Catherine A. Theis.

Maternal grandparents are Robert and Judith Theis of Granite City. The paternal grandparents are Jerry and Judy Hutchinson of Waltonville, Ill.

The couple has two other children, Bradley and Jennifer.

Abbey R. Huffaker

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Huffaker of Granite City are announcing the birth of their daughter, born at 12:04 p.m. on May 16, 1990, at Jerseyville Hospital.

The infant, Abbey Raquel, weighed 7 pounds, 6 ounces.

The mother is the former Sherri Clinard.

Maternal grandparents are Max and Sherrill Clinard and paternal grandparents are Robert and Frances Huffaker. All reside in Granite City.

The couple has two other children, Anna, 4, and Nicholas, 2 months.

Young children sing for mothers

Carrousel, a center for small children, held two special Mother's Day celebrations in May.

Each performance consisted of three groups of children who sang especially for their mothers.

As the children returned to their seats, each presented the mother with a red carnation.

The first group of 3-year-olds was led by Pam Jellen. Singing the songs, "Little White Duck"; "I Love My Mommy"; and "Down in the Meadow" were Meghan Fitzhenry, Crystal Castellini, Pamela Beatty, Lauren Hughes, Thomas Hughes, Jacob Hartwick, Erin Houston, Jenna Caschetta and Kee Kee Ford.

The second group of 3-year-olds, led by Ann Jarrett, sang "You Are My Sunshine"; "Take Me Out to the Ballgame"; "Mommy, Mommy, You're the One"; The group included: Britt Lockhart, Frankie Holmes, Megan Hankins, Yolanda Pastoriza, Adam Saltgaver, Aaron Schmieg, Tori Roberts and Kasey West.

Children in the third group of 3-year-olds, led by Nannette Cochran, were Jenny Milton, Colin Fitzhenry, Sean Glenn, Alisha Levin and Jenna Ely, who sang "Baa Baa Black Sheep"; "Five Little Robbins"; and "Happy Mother's Day to You."

The second performance began with Kandy Burgess-

group of 2-year-olds singing "I'm a Little Teapot"; "Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star"; and "Love You." The children were: Jonathan Frech, Chris Petrosky, Kyle Phelan, Matthew Kuberski, Lauren Stoval, Rachel Thompson, Ty Lance and Chris Wells.

Megan Taylor's group of 2-year-olds performed: "One, Two, Buckle My Shoe"; "Mommy Takes Good Care of Me"; and "Five Little Hotdogs." The children involved were: Kyle Worthen, Emily Houston, Matthew Willmirth, Carolyn Page, Ashley Puff, Carmen Sharp and Krystalle Adler.

The performance concluded with Marcie Johnson's group of toddlers singing: "Little Teapot"; "Hickory, Dickory Dock"; and "The Ants Go Marching." Singing the songs were: Alex Hartwick, Robert Wood, Joey Beatty, Matthew Miller, Kassandra Stoops, Andrew Nguyen and Billy Roberts.

Other employees from Carrousel involved in the program were: Jim and Jane Tolhurst, owners, Sue Kirkham, Cindy Reber, Wanda Sweeney, Carol Anderson, Jennifer Hahne and Laura Rotter.

Auxiliary drill team reunites

A reunion recently was held for members of Venice Madison American Legion Auxiliary 307 Drill Team from the 1950s and 1960s.

Seven attended, including Dorothy Hinson, Norma Hillmer, Dorothy Berghart, Bobbie Sizemore, Bernice Daniels, Maxine Simmons and Pauline Mersin-

ger.

The event was held following the Memorial Day services at Post 307.

Pictures, newspaper articles and many happenings were shared. The group is planning a dinner meeting sometime in late October. Dorothy Hinson advised.

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A fresh cucumber provides a lot of crunch, with only about 40 calories in a medium-sized cucumber. While it is not a nutritional powerhouse, a cucumber can provide nearly one-fourth the recommended daily allowance of vitamin C. It is a cool and pleasant way to get at least some of the five or more daily servings of fruits and vegetables recommended by the American Institute for Cancer Research and other health groups.

Look for cucumbers no longer than 7 inches long and not overly large in diameter with good green color all over. Dull, yellow or puffy cucumbers with shriveled ends can be tough and taste bitter. Because of their high moisture content, they must be refrigerated and kept from drying out.

Store them in a perforated plastic bag in the vegetable bin or in a brown paper bag near the bottom of the refrigerator.

Most cucumbers are eaten raw or pickled and are a particular favorite in salad or cold soup. For a change, instead of crackers, try cucumber slices, topped with a low-fat cheese spread. Cucumber boats — a cucumber cut lengthwise with the seeds scooped out — are an attractive way to serve a favorite summer salad. Cucumbers' subtle flavor combines well with herbs such as basil, chervil, chives, dill, mint and parsley.

At home on tables throughout the world, cucumbers are found on a Scandinavian smorgasbord or in an Indian "raita" to cool the fiery tastes of curry and spices. The following recipe is the perfect accompaniment to a dish like chicken teriyaki. With

its interesting Oriental flavor, this salad is like eating pickles minus the salt.

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Cucumbers oriental

1/2 lb. cucumber (about 1 medium)
2 tbsp. white vinegar
2 tbsp. water
2 tsp. soy sauce (low-sodium if

desired)
1 tsp. sugar

Remove ends of cucumber. Score skin of cucumber lengthwise with fork so it is marked with parallel lines. Peel, if desired. Cut cucumber in half lengthwise and scoop out seeds. Cut halves crosswise in thin slices.

Stir together vinegar, water, soy sauce and sugar in non-metal bowl. Add cucumber slices. Stir to coat well. Marinate, covered, at least 20 minutes.

Makes 2 servings of 1 cup each; 28 calories and no fat per serving.

Registered dietitian Karen Collins reviews this material for the American Institute for Cancer Research in Washington.

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Chocolate peanut butter deluxe pie

- 1 1/2 cups milk
1 pkg. (4 serving) vanilla pudding mix
1/2 cup chocolate sauce
2 tbsp. peanut butter
2 tbsp. corn syrup
1 (9 inch) pie crust, baked or prepared
Frozen whipped topping, defrosted, and peanuts (optional)

Follow directions for cooking pudding, using 1 1/4 cups milk. Whisk smooth.

Mix chocolate sauce with peanut butter and corn syrup. Spread half sauce mixture over bottom of prepared crust. Pour hot pudding into crust and cover with plastic wrap. Chill.

Just before serving, garnish with whipped topping, drizzle remaining sauce mixture over pie and sprinkle with peanuts.

Carrot ring pudding

- 3 tbsp. margarine
3 tbsp. flour
1 tsp. salt
1 tsp. pepper
1/2 cup paprika
1 tsp. Worcestershire sauce
1 tsp. grated onion
1 cup hot milk
2 eggs, separated
2 cups mashed, cooked carrots
Cooked peas

Melt margarine. Stir in flour, salt, pepper, paprika, Worcestershire sauce and onion. When mixture bubbles, slowly add milk, stirring constantly.

Very gradually, pour onto beaten egg yolks. Add carrots. Cool. Fold in stiffly beaten egg whites. Pour into greased ring mold.

Set mold in pan of hot water. Cover with aluminum foil. Bake in 325° oven 45 minutes or until firm. Turn out carefully on hot platter. Fill center with hot, cooked, buttered peas.

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Recipe

Frozen yogurt pie

- 1/2 cup butter or margarine
- 1/2 cup quick-cooking oats, uncooked
- 1 tsp. cinnamon
- 1/2 cup brown sugar
- 1/2 cup sliced almonds
- 1 tsp. vanilla
- 1 qt. vanilla nonfat or low-fat frozen yogurt
- 1 cup unsweetened applesauce
- 1/2 cup frozen orange juice concentrate, undiluted
- 1 tsp. confectioner's sugar

Melt butter in 9-inch pie pan. Combine graham crackers, oats, cinnamon, brown sugar, 3 tablespoons almonds and vanilla with butter in pie pan. Press evenly in bottom and up side of pan. Bake at

350° for 10 minutes until golden brown. Cool thoroughly. Combine applesauce, orange juice concentrate and coriander. Spread one-third frozen yogurt evenly in pie pan.

Combine applesauce mixture and one-third yogurt. Spread evenly in pie pan. Top with remaining third frozen yogurt. Spread evenly and quickly. Top with 1 tablespoon sliced almonds.

Serve immediately or freeze until ready to serve. Consistency is best if used the day it is prepared.

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Convenient breakfast foods start day the low-fat way

By Jacqueline Lanfear
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Thanks to convenience-conscious consumers, frozen breakfast entree sales are soaring. Americans spent more than \$238 million on combination frozen breakfast items in 1988, and growth in this market continues.

A quick trip to the frozen food section of the grocery store reveals that most breakfast entrees are high in fat, calories and sodium. There are a few exceptions, but most derive 35 to 75 percent of their calories from fat. Ideally, any one meal should not exceed 30 percent of its calories from fat.

There is no arguing the convenience of frozen waffles, pan-

cakes, hash and cheese croissants or sausage biscuits. The only equipment needed is a microwave oven and 2 to 3 minutes of time.

Is it possible to achieve this convenience and still control fat at breakfast? Start by seeking out items which derive fewer than 30 percent of their calories from fat. A simplified way to figure how much fat is allowed to meet this guideline is to divide the number of calories in the frozen entree by 30. For example, an item that contains 240 calories should contain 8 or fewer grams fat (240 divided by 30 equals 8). If the 240-calorie item contains more than 8 grams fat, it exceeds the

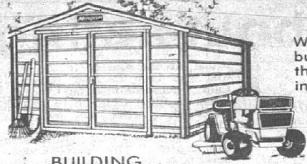
30-percent guideline.

To save money as well as fat, consider making batches of favorite items and freezing them in individual servings. Extra pancakes or waffles made on the weekend freeze well. Place a layer of plastic wrap on a cookie sheet and arrange with cooled pancakes. Place sheet in freezer about 1 hour. Remove and place pancakes in freezer bags.

Round out store-bought or homemade frozen breakfast entrees with skim or 1 percent fat milk, orange juice and reduced-calorie syrup or jam. Boost fiber by including a piece of fresh fruit. For more information on low-fat eating, call the Heart Information Service at 45-HEART or toll-free 800-255-9919. Free literature and recipes will be sent upon request.

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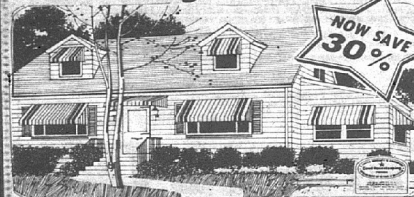
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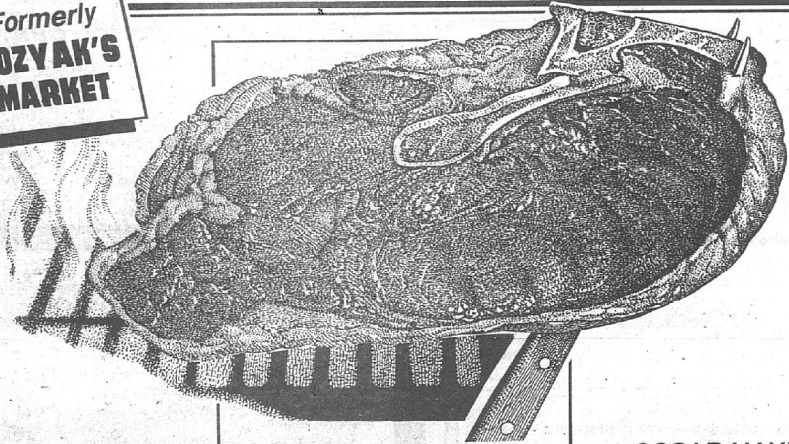
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Cage serious about acting; lifestyle a bit strange

Actor Nicolas Cage is in Hollywood's twilight zone. He is considered to have box-office potential, but his performances thus far have been inconsistent.

Cage has received great reviews for films like "Moonstruck" in 1988, "Raising Arizona" in 1986 and "Birdy" in 1984, but he also has had some movie that could be construed as "career crushers." He was ripped for his work in "Racing with the Moon" and "The Cotton Club" in 1984 and "Peggy Sue Got Married" in 1986.

"My first few movies were a learning experience for me," Cage says. "I began at an early age and that's how I taught myself, through trial and error. I think my first really good performance was in 'Birdy.' I just opened up emotionally and let what was going to happen happen. From that experience, I have also learned to put more thought behind the lines of the script and the structure of a scene."

Cage has the reputation among studios and directors as being serious about his work, but out of the mainstream persona of Hollywood actors. For instance, he has a collection of cats in his Hollywood apartment, where he observes their behavior in order to prepare for his film roles.

Cage's apartment also contains several aquariums where



Harry Hamm

he used to keep small sharks and octopuses, his friends have said. He has a large collection of exotic bugs mounted on the walls.

His somewhat offbeat lifestyle is not reflected in his upbringing.

"When I was growing up, it was a very difficult time for me," says Cage, 27. "Everybody, my teachers and the other kids, thought I was just too serious. I think they voted me 'most stubborn student' one time. It was a really boring thing for me and I didn't like it."

"My father is a very serious man. Maybe I was just trying to be like him. To this day, sometimes I'll dress very silly, just so people won't take me too seriously. It's a throw-back to when I was a kid."

After becoming interested in

acting at the age of 10, Cage, who was born in Long Beach, Calif., was encouraged by his father August Coppola to read one book a week and use his imagination to write what his father referred to as "the missing chapters." This helped Cage develop a vivid imagination, he says. He would transform himself into the characters he read about.

Cage was 15 when he enrolled in San Francisco's prestigious American Conservatory Theater, where he trained and performed in a repertory acting company. When he was a junior in college, Cage landed his first professional acting role in the television film "The Best of Times."

Cage's latest picture, "Fire Birds," is an action-thriller about U.S. Army Apache attack helicopters and their use in a daring combat mission in Latin America. Cage plays pilot Jake Preston; his co-stars are Tommy Lee Jones and Sean Young.

Cage says there was one part of his role in "Fire Birds" he did not execute very well.

"They wanted me to look and perform like a real pilot, obviously, so I trained in an Apache

simulator at Fort Hood in Texas that is harder to fly than the real thing," he says. "I don't even remember if I even was able to get it to hover off the ground. I kept tilting and crashing, like in an arcade game."

High-flying 'Fire Birds' never takes off

What Tom Cruise did in "Top Gun," Nicolas Cage tries to imitate in "Fire Birds" (**), an aerial gun and glory action film about U.S. Army helicopters in combat.

Cage plays Chief Warrant Officer Billie Lee Curtis, assigned to train and fly with South American military helicopter pilots in their war against Latin American drug lords.

An early scene in Touchstone Pictures' "Fire Birds" shows Cage leading a small formation of helicopters on a routine patrol mission in an unnamed Latin American country. The formation suddenly is attacked by a high-speed helicopter armed to the teeth with missiles and machine guns. The attacking aircraft is expertly flown by an

Cage is single and the youngest of three brothers. His father is the dean of creative arts at San Francisco State University and his uncle is film director Francis Ford Coppola.

Cage's next film, due out in

December, is a romantic comedy called "Wild at Heart," starring Laura Dern.

Harry Hamm is entertainment editor for both KMOX-TV (1120) and the CBS Radio Network.

training. The footage involving the helicopters is exciting.

But unlike Tom Cruise, Cage is not a romantic leading man. Jones and Young also walk through their roles like talking mannequins, which causes the audience to lose interest in most of the story.

If you enjoy films on flying, you may consider checking out "Fire Birds," especially at a matinee or early show with discounted prices. Otherwise, this is one high-flying story that may come across as an adventure that never gets off the ground.

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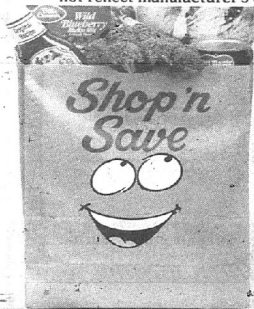
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Sports

Miners sweep Fairview Heights

By Dave Whaley
Executive sports editor

FAIRVIEW HEIGHTS — The Miners are looking more and more like a team to be reckoned with — in more ways than one.

Sporting some very attractive new uniforms (all white with red lettering), the Miners went 3-1 in Mon-Clair League play over the weekend to improve to 6-4 in the Monroe Division, just a half game behind first-place Edwardsville. After splitting a pair of makeup games with Brooklyn at home on Saturday, Granite City finished off the weekend with an 8-4, 2-1 sweep of Fairview Heights (2-6) at Lungacre Park on Sunday.

Darin Hendrickson and Mark Begando pitched complete-game wins as the Miners jumped into what the middle of what figures to be a four-game race in the Monroe Division with Edwardsville, Waterloo and Valmeyer.

"I feel real good about this team," said manager Daren DePew. "If the pitchers stay healthy this year, we can have a good season. We haven't all started to hit at the same time yet."

A good example of that was Saturday, when the Miners beat

SUNDAY 1st GAME
GRANITE CITY 400 5-8 8 1
FAIRVIEW HEIGHTS 510 512 9-4 2 4
GRANITE CITY: T. Hogan 1B, C. Archer 1B, Green 1B, HR, 3RB, DePew 1B, 2B, RBE, Burton 2-1B, WP-Hendrickson (7 Inn.), R-4, ER-3, H-4, SO-1, BB-2.
FAIRVIEW HEIGHTS: Abel 1B, Lance 2-2B, Kassebaum 2-1B, RBE, Chaffy 1B, RBE, Josh Bovinette 1B, RBE, Mike Bovinette 2B, LP-Lance (7 Inn.), R-5, H-5, H-6, SO-4, BB-4.

Brooklyn 13-1 in the first game with 10 hits. But righthander Larry Reed shut down the Miners on six hits in a 6-1 Robins (3-7) win in the nightcap. Reed had 12 strikeouts.

The Miners took advantage of some shaky Fairview Heights defense in the first game Sunday. Hendrickson was paired against his SIUE teammate, Sam Lance, and the Miners hit Lance with four-run volleys in both the second and fourth innings. DePew doubled in the first run and two errors and a passed ball made it 4-0.

Kory Burton's second hit started the fourth and Tom Greco finished it off with a three-run homer over the 350 sign in right center and off a shed to make it 8-1. Hendrickson scattered eight hits and didn't walk anybody in picking up his second win of the summer.

SUNDAY 2nd GAME
GRANITE CITY 510 500 1-2 2 1
FAIRVIEW HEIGHTS 501 500 0-1 5 1
GRANITE CITY: T. Hogan 1B, 2B, Wargo 1B, DePew 1B, Most 1B, Wallace 2-1B, WP-Begando (7 Inn.), R-1, ER-1, H-6, SO-4, BB-1.
FAIRVIEW HEIGHTS: Kassebaum 1B, RBE, Stephens 1B, Lance 1B, Adams 1B, Feller 1B, Josh Bovinette 2B, LP-Most (7 Inn.), R-2, ER-1, H-6, SO-1, BB-1.

"Having Darin healthy will make a big difference with this team," said DePew. "He's our No. 1 guy and we have a couple choices behind him."

Begando put in his bid for the No. 2 spot in the nightcap. The lefthander walked only one and scattered six hits while being helped by two double plays. The winning run scored in the top of the seventh due to the magic in Tim Hogan's legs. With one out, he singled to right for his third hit of the game. Hogan stole second and continued to third when catcher John Bovinette's throw went into center field.

The Miners looked doomed when Tim Wargo, the infielder in — hit a line drive back up the middle that pitcher Joe Moll caught and nearly doubled Hogan off the third. But with Carl Archer at the plate, Moll bounced one in the dirt. It didn't

roll far away, but Hogan scored easily.

Lance led off the bottom of the seventh with a hit, but Bovinette's line drive was caught by a diving Greco at second base, and Lance was doubled off first to choke the rally.

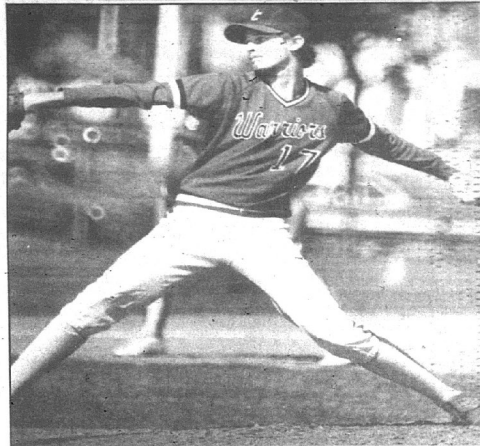
"A lefthanded second baseman doesn't catch that ball," said Vern Lux from the dugout, a Yogi Berra-ish statement if there ever was one.

Burton had driven in the first run in the second John Moad and Joe Wallace singled and moved up on Tim Archer's bunt. Burton's ground ball to third scored Moad, although Wallace was out at third. Belleville tied it in the third on a double by Josh Bovinette and a single by Dave Kassebaum.

Wallace caught Hendrickson — in the 1987 Warriors — in the first game, then played right field in the second game while Tim Archer caught. DePew played third base in both games.

"Joe has a future catching, so I might as well let him do it some," said DePew. "And it feels a lot better getting up the next morning when I don't catch both games of a double-header."

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MARK BEGANDO, shown in action during his high school days, pitched a complete-game win for the Miners on Sunday, as did Darin Hendrickson.

1st-place Alton pounds Black; Lewis' slam beats Schardan

By Dave Whaley
Executive sports editor

ALTON — To single out starting pitcher Tim Black for the Triplets' 8-2 loss Saturday at Gordon Moore Park would hardly be telling the whole story.

Black wasn't sharp at all, allowing five runs on four hits, three walks and a hit batsman in two innings, but he had plenty of company.

"We weren't ready to play this game at all," said Post 113 manager Ralph Burnett. "Nobody knows why that happens. I don't care about the pitching. There was nothing we did well tonight."

Post 113 had a chance to go back over the 500 mark on Monday at Fairview Heights, and Rich Schardan took a 2-2 lead into the fifth inning. But Cory Lewis connected for a grand slam as Post 570 took a 4-2 decision. Greg Harvie got the win for Fairview Heights, allowing six hits while striking out nine and walking three. Chad Ligon and Kurt Hodges delivered RBI hits in the second and fourth. Fairview had only four hits off Schardan as the Triplets fell to 1-2.

Saturday, the Triplets made three errors and made Alton starter Joey Porter look like Jim Palmer. Porter struck out 10 and walked only one while allowing three hits in a complete game.

"Give him credit, I guess," said Burnett. "But if that's the kind of pitching that's going to beat us, we're in for a long summer. But that type of pitching won't beat us for long. These guys will hit once we've played

SATURDAY
GRANITE CITY 100 100 1-2 3 3
ALTON 520 503 4-8 8 1
GRANITE CITY: Wallace 1B, RBE, Harshany 1B, Porter 2B, Hodges 1B, LP-Black (2 Inn.), R-4, ER-4, H-4, SO-0, BB-0.
ALTON: Harshany 1B, Douclet 1B, Hubbard 2B, 2B, HR, 4RB, Schardan 1B, 2B, Douclet 2-1B, Porter 2B, RBE, WP-Porter (7 Inn.), R-2, ER-2, H-3, SO-10, BB-1.

a few nights in a row. But we didn't even make many hard outs tonight."

The first inning wasn't much to brag about. Black walked the first two hitters. He got a break when K.C. Douclet popped up trying to bunt, but moving the runners over wouldn't have made any difference when right fielder Gary Hubbard came up. His moon shot would have scored runners from anywhere. It landed out near the Spencer T. Olin Golf Course beyond the left-field fence for a 3-0 Alton lead.

Hubbard added a single in the second and an RBI triple in a three-run sixth against Mike Nordstrom which put the finishing touches on an Alton win. Post 128 followed up with wins over Waterloo on Sunday (7-4) and Edwardsville on Monday (3-2), so Alton has taken the early lead in the North Division with a 4-2 mark.

"We have the hitters this year

with guys like Hubbard and (Tom) Brinkman," said Alton manager Karl Douclet, whose team has won four in a row since opening with a loss to O'Fallon (5-0) in the South Division. "I just hope we can find enough pitching."

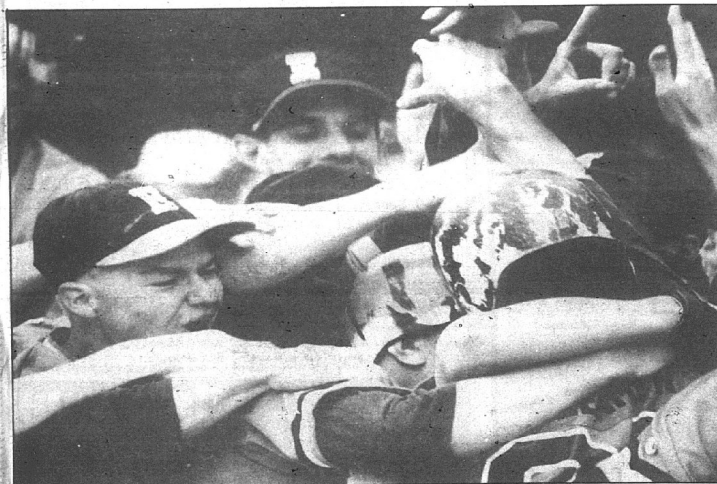
They got plenty from Porter, who doubled home a run and scored on Ron Hornsmy's sacrifice fly to make it 5-0 in the second. After going hitless in the season opener Friday, Joe Wallace erupted for a long home run in the fourth inning to make it 5-1. But that was the Triplets' only hit until the seventh. Brian Harshany singled and went to third on a long double by Dan Partney that looked like it would leave the park.

"The ball doesn't carry too well here after dark," Burnett said.

Hodges' sacrifice fly scored Harshany, but that was the extent of the Post 113 offense. Chris Hill was one bright spot with three innings of scoreless relief.

"Chris is really a competitor and he did an excellent job," said Burnett. "He's got a blister on his middle finger, but he was able to go until the band-aid fell off."

After Tuesday's game at Waterloo, the Triplets play at Highland on Thursday (8 p.m.) and host Wood River on Friday (7:30).



(Staff photo by Dave Whaley)

THE EDWARDSVILLE TIGERS celebrate another win on the way to their first state baseball title.

Tigers' versatility wins out

By Dave Wilhelm
Staff writer

SPRINGFIELD — During the season, the Edwardsville Tigers pounded opponents with their supercharged offense. But in last Friday's title game of the Class AA State Baseball Tournament, EHS showed its versatility.

In their three-run ninth inning against Joliet Catholic — which resulted in a 4-1 win — the Tigers hit just one ball out of the infield, and it was an out. Prior to that there were two walks, two hit singles and two stolen bases — all from a team that began the tournament with a .371 team batting average.

It was 1987's version of Whiteyball taking place at Lanphier Park. But while the Cardinals fell one game short in Minnesota, the Tigers' formula was a winning one. The victory was their 25th in succession and gave

them a school record for wins (32-3). And it erased all the doubts that existed in the season's first two weeks, when Edwardsville was 2-2 with two ties.

"When we were 2-2-2, we had to come through physically, but more so mentally," said senior second baseman Steve Flowers. "And then at state, we had to adjust again. We had to do something else because we knew we weren't going to hit the long ball."

In their three tournament victories, the Tigers — who had 31 home runs this year — had more stolen bases (25) than hits (19). They needed just three singles against Joliet Catholic, thanks to a remarkable performance by all-tournament selection Mark Little.

Little, normally a center fielder who just started pitching this

season, went the distance, giving up four hits and striking out seven. He also scored the game-tying run in the sixth inning and had a sacrifice fly in the ninth.

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But he was only one of several heroes.

In Thursday's quarterfinal game against Champaign Centennial, junior Joe Blasingim pitched a two-hitter and fanned 12, and reserve outfielder Cameron Turner—who had just 17 at-bats during the regular season—drove in two runs in the Tigers' 3-0 victory.

In Friday's semifinal against Chicago Simon, senior Tom Price hurled a complete game five-hitter and struck out 10 in EHS' 8-1 win. The Tigers' 15 stolen bases against the Wolverines was a tournament record.

And then there was diminutive junior John Droste, whose bunt single drove in the game-winning run against Joliet Catholic. Deservedly, Droste, Blasingim and Price were also named to the all-tournament team.

"Coach (Tom) Pile told me the bunt was going to win it for us," said Droste. "I just had to execute, and I did. I told myself I had to get the job done, and it happened."

"I can't believe we're state champs. It's a cliché and everything, but we were on a mission."

The mission ended when Little coaxed Joliet Catholic's Marc Hinz to ground out to Flowers. But it was just the beginning of the celebration, as orange-clad Edwardsville fans stormed onto the field to hug and congratulate their hometown heroes.

For a few tense moments, it appeared Little's performance wasn't going to be enough.

Joliet Catholic's Mike Petak

opened the bottom of the fifth with a single and advanced to third on a hit-and-run single to left by Brian Szerak. Brent McGraw's fielder's choice scored Petak, giving the Hilltoppers a 1-0 lead.

Little sparked the Tigers' comeback in the sixth, walking and stealing second to open the inning. J.J. Scerba's sacrifice moved Little to third. Greg Morrison, the next batter, bunted in front of the plate. Joliet Catholic pitcher Tim Ciesla tried to throw Little out at the plate, but the senior beat the play to tie the game.

Ben Slemmer pinch-hit for brother Dave to start the ninth, and the 5-4 freshman drew a four-pitch walk off relief pitcher Hinz. Dave Slemmer re-entered the game and promptly stole second.

Turner's bunt single moved Slemmer to third. Turner stole second, and the Hilltoppers then walked Tim Funkhouser intentionally. Droste followed with his bunt single down the third-base line.

Price's grounder scored Turner, and Little's sacrifice fly drove in Funkhouser.

"How 'bout Cameron Turner?" Pile asked. "He's No. 1 in his class (academically), but he said, 'Coach, that doesn't matter. This is the best thing in my life.'"

"This was a total team effort," said Price, who wasn't drafted last week by the pros (he was going to fulfill his commitment to Notre Dame no matter what). "This was the way I wanted to go out. We hung in there. We knew we'd worked

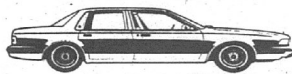
hard and we knew we'd come up with something."

NOTE: Price, Little, Funkhouser, Morrison and Flowers

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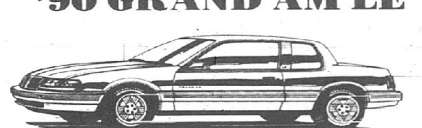
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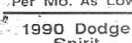


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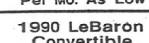


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 Sunday, June 10
 At Florence
 Czechoslovakia 3, UNITED STATES 1
Thursday, June 14
 At Rome
 Italy vs. UNITED STATES, 2 p.m.
Friday, June 15
 At Florence
 Austria vs. Czechoslovakia, 10 a.m.
Tuesday, June 19
 At Rome
 Italy vs. Czechoslovakia, 2 p.m.
At Florence
 Austria vs. UNITED STATES, 2 p.m.

GROUP B
Friday, June 9
 At Milan
 Cameroon 1, Argentina 0
Saturday, June 9
 At Bari
 Romania 2, Soviet Union 0
Wednesday, June 13
 At Naples
 Argentina vs. Soviet Union, 2 p.m.
Thursday, June 14
 At Bari
 Cameroon vs. Romania, 2 p.m.
Monday, June 18
 At Naples
 Argentina vs. Romania, 2 p.m.
At Bari
 Cameroon vs. Soviet Union, 2 p.m.

GROUP C
Sunday, June 10
 At Turin
 Brazil 2, Sweden 1
Monday, June 11
 At Genoa
 Costa Rica 1, Scotland 0
Saturday, June 16
 At Turin
 Brazil vs. Costa Rica, 10 a.m.
At Genoa
 Sweden vs. Scotland, 2 p.m.
Wednesday, June 20
 At Turin
 Brazil vs. Scotland, 2 p.m.
At Genoa
 Sweden vs. Costa Rica, 2 p.m.

GROUP D
Saturday, June 9
 At Bologna
 Colombia 2, United Arab Emirates 0
Sunday, June 10
 At Milan
 West Germany 4, Yugoslavia 1

Thursday, June 14
 At Bologna
 Yugoslavia vs. Colombia, 10 a.m.
Friday, June 15
 At Milan
 West Germany vs. United Arab Emirates, 2 p.m.

Tuesday, June 19
 At Bologna
 Yugoslavia vs. United Arab Emirates, 10 a.m.
At Milan
 West Germany vs. Colombia, 10 a.m.

GROUP E
Tuesday, June 12
 At Verona
 Belgium 2, South Korea 0
Wednesday, June 13
 At Udine
 Uruguay vs. Spain, 10 a.m.
Sunday, June 17
 At Verona
 Belgium vs. Uruguay, 2 p.m.
Thursday, June 21
 At Verona
 Belgium vs. Spain, 10 a.m.
At Udine
 South Korea vs. Uruguay, 10 a.m.

GROUP F
Monday, June 11
 At Cagliari
 England 1, Ireland 1
Tuesday, June 12
 At Palermo
 Netherlands vs. Egypt, 2 p.m.
Saturday, June 16
 At Cagliari
 England vs. Netherlands, 2 p.m.
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SECOND ROUND
Saturday, June 23
 At Naples
 Group B winner vs. A, C or D third place, 10 a.m.
At Bari
 Group A second place vs. Group C second place, 2 p.m.
Sunday, June 24
 At Turin
 Group C winner vs. Group A, B or F third place, 10 a.m.

Game 40
 At Milan
 Group D winner vs. Group B, E or F third place, 2 p.m.

Monday, June 25
 At Genoa
 Group F second place vs. Group B second place, 10 a.m.

Game 42
 At Rome
 Group A winner vs. Group C, D or E third place, 2 p.m.

Tuesday, June 26
 At Verona
 Group E winner vs. Group D second place, 10 a.m.

Game 44
 At Bologna
 Group F winner vs. Group E second place, 2 p.m.

QUARTERFINALS
Saturday, June 30
 At Florence
 Game 39 winner vs. Game 43 winner, 10 a.m.
Game 46
 At Rome
 Game 41 winner vs. Game 42 winner, 2 p.m.

Sunday, July 1
 At Milan
 Game 38 winner vs. Game 40 winner, 10 a.m.

Game 48
 At Naples
 Game 37 winner vs. Game 44 winner, 2 p.m.

SEMIFINALS
Tuesday, July 3
 At Naples
 Game 45 winner vs. Game 46 winner, 1 p.m.

Wednesday, July 4
 At Turin
 Game 47 winner vs. Game 48 winner, 1 p.m.

THIRD PLACE
Saturday, July 7
 At Bari
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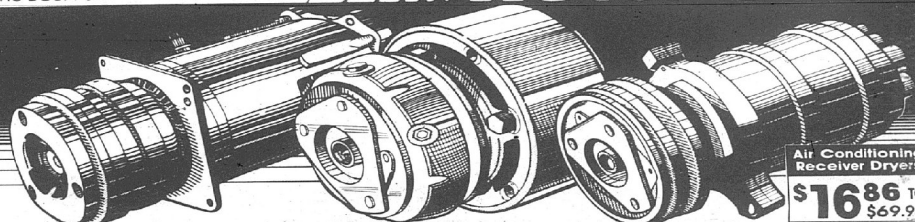
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Fairview Heights	2	6	
Highland	1	9	

St. Clair Division			
Team	W	L	
Sauget	7	1	
East St. Louis	5	2	
Millstadt	5	4	
East Alton	5	5	
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June 9
Granite City 13-1, Brooklyn 1-6
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Schedule
(all double-headers at 1:30 p.m.)
June 16
O'Fallon at Waterloo
O'Fallon at Fairview Heights
Millstadt at Edwardsville (one game)
June 17
Highland at Granite City
Edwardsville at Waterloo
Fairview Heights at Valmeyer
Millstadt at Sauget
East St. Louis at East Alton
O'Fallon at Brooklyn
Metro East Night League

Schedule
(all games at 7:30 p.m.)
June 13
Edwardsville at Granite City

June 20
East Alton at Trenton
Millstadt at Troy
Edwardsville at Highland

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Scouts have bowling tournament in July

The UNIWAH Summer Bowling Tournament will be held July 28-29 at Bowland Lanes in Granite City.

All Tigerscubs, Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts and Explorers are welcome to enter. The cost is \$2 per entrant, with shoes and bowling balls furnished. Participants on July 28 will receive ribbons and a certificate, and will return for a bowl-off on July 29. The top three finishers in each category will receive trophies. The cost for the July 29 bowl-off is an additional \$1.50.

For more information, call Shirley Byrd at 797-1732 or Patie Thomas at 451-9096. The registration deadline is June 30.

BAC having soccer camps in summer

Two soccer camps for boys and girls ages 4-18 will be held this summer by Belleville Area College.

There will be one camp each in Belleville and Granite City. The Granite City Campus camp will be July 16-20 from 6-8 p.m. each evening and will cost \$40. The Belleville Campus camp will be June 23 from 9 a.m. to noon and June 24 from 1-4 p.m. and will cost \$30.

"Our soccer camps offer individual attention for developing soccer-related skills," said BAC coach Larry Petri, the camp director and a native of Granite City.

Reds having camps Thursday, Friday

The Cincinnati Reds will hold tryout camps in the area this week.

Tom McDevitt, the scouting supervisor for the Reds, will conduct the camps along with other local scouts. There will be a camp Thursday at Maryville College in St. Louis and Friday at Tri-Township Park in Troy. Both camps begin promptly at 9 a.m. American Legion players must have written permission from the Post commander to participate.

All players between the ages of 16-22 are invited to attend. That includes those who are sophomores and juniors in high school.

Miners

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"This team is going to get better now that everybody knows where they're going to be. We had guys (particularly outfielder Carl Archer) who were worried about the draft last week."

Archer, a freshman at Lewis and Clark Community College from McCluer North, was not taken in the draft, although he attracted a lot of interest. DePew also said P.J. Riley, formerly of Edwardsville High School and STUE, might be rejoining the Miners after being released from the Houston Astros' farm system.

"P.J. is best in the outfield," said DePew. "So we'll have

plenty of guys to work with. I'm at the roster maximum now, but there's a couple of guys who aren't showing up, so I might drop them to make room."

NOTES: The Miners host Edwardsville tonight in Metro East Night League action. Granite City is unbeaten (3-0) in the Night League and plays virtually the rest of that schedule at home. Tonight might also be the completion of the May 31 game which was suspended at Edwardsville when the lights went out. The Miners then host Millstadt on Thursday (7:25) before hosting Highland in the Mon-Clair League on Sunday. Mike Robertson had three hits, including a home run, while

Moad added a double, a triple and an RBI in the first game win over Brooklyn on Saturday. Jamie Hogan also had two hits while Mark Bowen picked up the win. He allowed five hits in five innings and Tim Archer finished up. Moad had two hits in the nightcap, but Reed allowed only six hits to go with 12 strikeouts and one walk. Scott LeVault took the loss, allowing six runs (three earned) and eight hits in 4 1/2 innings.

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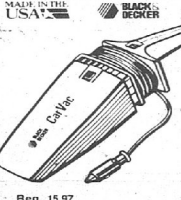


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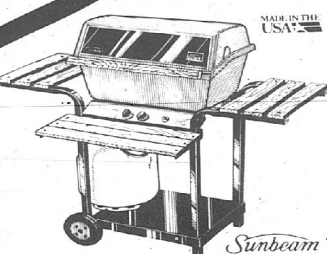


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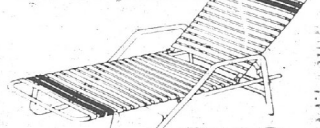
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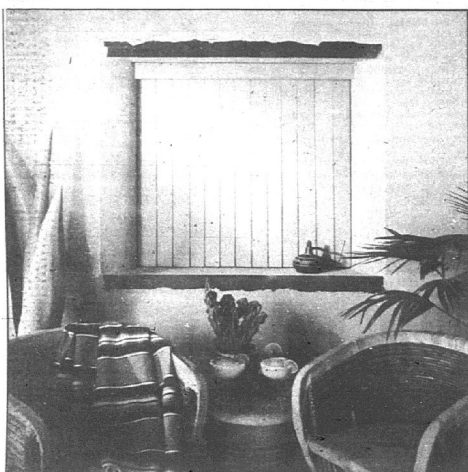
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"How to Laminate a Counter": S1, Micarta Laminates, Hampton, S.C. 29924.

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"How to Use Ceramic Tile Backer Board": Durabond Divi-

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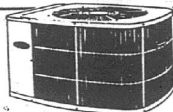
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